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The Threshold.

"I don't suppose many people stop to think that the formation of their teeth is an indication of their temperament," said a dentist the other day.
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are sizing up her disposition.
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"What's the matter, Lafe?" asked

tah 'nongh,' replied the negro. "Had a terrible miser; in mah toof and went to a dentist and got hit pulled, and he changed me a dollar, a whole dollah. Why, once down in Tenn'se goinan. Way, once down in lean see
I went to old Doc Tinker, and he
pulled two toofs and broke mah jawbone, and only changed me 50 cents.
Tee been buncoed,"—Chicago Record-

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Baw them go, that passed me o'er,
Go where others want before;
But forgotten and alone,
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Now the house is bare of life, No more sorrow, joy or strife Echo from each gloomy wall.— For the house is doomed to fall— Doomed to fall, as all things must. That are raised of earth and dust;

Teeth and Temperament.

ten wonder when the pretty girl opens her mouth to show her ivory white teeth if she realizes that some of us

Mr. Williams.
"I'se just been done out o' some money, Marse John, and that's mat-

Orawford County Directors

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EXPERTS TO GOVERN OUR CITIES.



By President Ellot of Harvard. I believe that a board of five select.

our city business as great business PRESSIENT ELIOT. corporations get them. These corporations are governed by a small body of directors, whose

We want in our cities men who have proved their competence in their private business. The commonest objection is all in the word "un-American." So many ond things nowadays are un-American. So many I have heard called that when first proposed have later proted their worth and been adopted. Undemocratic is another

Whatever policy will get the work of the people well

#### AMERICAN CITIZENS REAL RULERS.

By Chancellor Day of Syracuse University. The citizens always have been greater than the officeholders, for they create the offices and select officeholders, who cannot select themselves. The people are the President, the

These are names for their will, their au thority, and their power, their agents. This is a good reason why they should defend such offices and those who occupy them, for they are represented in them, and their self-respect must suffer by any degradation of the instruments of their selfgovernment. And this is why men chosen as represent-

want a governor to rule them" was the opposite of the truth. It could be reversed and be true. The people should rule the Governor. They make the laws and the institutions and they determine the person who shall be called Governor. And he can rule nobody. He can simply act for the people in carrying out their rulership He has absolutely nothing that they have not given him And any assertion of any other authority is a usurpation and an impertinence. Even his discretion is buoyed, an unmistakable channel.

effizen is supreme. One-half and one of the citizens of the State can control it absolutely by the choice of one of their number to execute their will. And they have said what number of the whole shall amend constitutions or make laws. All of the Governors and Judges

The people, however humble and unlearned and obscure, can do what no persons by virtue of any office-or

position or wealth or influence can do. And if they de not do these things, and prevent things which they do not approve, it is because they are indifferent and unworthy of their citizenship, or have sold to the demagogues the birthright of the primary and the ballot.

WHAT TO READ AND HOW TO READ IT.

By T. P. O'Connor, M. P. Reading is part of the great universal "pur-

suit of happiness." Also it is a sea to drown care and a sword to kill time. It is a pastime, cause I enjoy reading. I try not to pretend to like things I don't like—and when I am bored I try candidly to admit the fact. I have again and again failed to get through masterpleces, or even to perceive that masterpleces are masterpleces. Therefore I no longer attempt to read them. But at the same time I do not make a pros tice in my quest of enjoyment of discarding every book

that threatens to prove tedious.

The main principle which should underlie the reading of every man is the esthetic or intellectual bliss to be derived from reading. His perusals should fall into two divisions—the disciplinary and the purely joyous. When he is beginning to form his taste in imaginative literature his disciplinary reading should consist of classical imaginative masterpleces. As time proceeds, the inexperienced student, growing-experienced, will discover that his joyous reading approximates more and more to his disciplinary reading. He will discover that the verdict of the ages was right, even though it did not accord with his own early views. He will discover that the reason why the classical writers from Homer to whom you please are esteemed and immortal is not primarily be cause they are deep and correct, and restrained, and shapely, but primarily because they give joy, sheer joy, to the largest number of cultivated readers.

#### ORDER COMES THROUGH STRUGGLES. Ry Dr. Paul Carus.

Ethics teaches us all struggle must be undertaken in the service of a higher and greater cause than our egotistic self. He alone will conquer who fights for something greater than his personal interests; and even If he is vanquished he will still have the satisfaction that his ideal is not conquered with him. He will find successors to do his work. His ideal, if genuine, will rise again in his successors, and they will accomplish a final victory for his aspirations.

The Tentonic nations in many respects, it appears, are the most successful peoples in the world, because of their stern ethics of midaunted struggle, to which they have adhered since prehistoric times. It was no disgrace for the Tentonic warrior to be slain, no dishonor to be vanquished; but it was infamy worse than death to be a coward, it was a disgrace to gain a victory by dishonest means. The enemy was relentlessly combuted, maybe he would have been a blot on one's eswas hated, yet it cutcheon to treat him with meanness. It was not uncommon among these barbarians for the victor to place a laurel wreath upon the grave of his foe whom in life he had combated with bitterest batred.

A wonderful harmony results from the conflict of antagonistic principles. All order proceeds from the antagonism of factors that work in opposite directions.

Proverbially, the year of a national election is a check upon many of the activities of the people. Yet this fact is due rather to mental than material causes, and is allowed more weight than it is entitled to. A vague dread of radical changes in government policies postpones many new enterprises and prompts caution in current transactions. In many of the things that go to make up business conditions a presidential contest has no actual offeet whatever. It is not responsible for the weather, nor the crops, nor the world's tide of commerce, nor the progress of invention, nor the outbreak of wars. The real question, therefore, is how far the disposition to take in sail is warranted by the risks ahead, considered without reference to what is merely imaginary. In the next four years there can be no complete Demo-cratic control at Washington. The Seuate, in any case, will have a Republican majority until at least 1012. This much is certain. So the fear of an over-whelming political overturn at one blow is buscless. The most that could be done by a sweeping Democratic victory ember next would be to halt leg islation for a long time, except in mat ters on which both parties could agree Another point of importance to keep

in mind is that the Republican party will continue to control all departments the government for four month after the election of the next President and House. The present Congress and executive would be at the bead of af-fairs until the inauguration day arrived. Between the first Monday in December and Murch 4 a Congress largely Republican in both branches could put matters in shape for the im pending situation. Prevailing Republican policies cannot be altered without iblican consent until the opposition obtains full control and there is little prospect that it will get any control in this year's election. In all probability the next House and President will be Republican and the party now dominant will retain complete power to act as for ten years past. It cannot be entirely displaced, nor can the laws it has passed be modified during the next four years without its concurrence Nothing startlingly radical can happen at Washington. Business men can be easy on this point, which rests on cer taintles to a greater extent than the

But there has been a financial flurry. ome will say. This is admitted, though the causes are still somewhat obscure One reason was a shortage of currency in a sudden emergency. Congress is dealing with this matter, and it is not conceivable that the majority will fall to pass a measure of relief. The flurry has been attended with some remark able facts. Over a billion in gold is held by the treasury, the largest total ever collected in one place, and six times as large as the amount in the sion of the government in 1894. Our exports exceed imports by more than \$100,000,000 a month; another record exhibit. The crop outlook is favorable. In this great country a ge eral crop failure is scarcely feared. American farmers are better able than formerly to deal with adverse feature of the season. Exports of manufac tures are at the highest point. The real estate situation is excellent. The country is at peace, and peaceable, but not unprepared. Business in 1908 ought to be good on the face of the facts, regardless of the political campalgn.-St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

#### A Task of Years.

I have known Theodore Roosevelt great many years. I have known him well and have remarked always that he had ideas upon every subject that he studied. Sometimes I agreed with him and sometimes I did not, and I have succeeded sometimes in bringing him to agree with me, and he has suc cerded sometimes in bringing me to agree with him, and sometimes we have parted agreeing to disagree. Still, I recognize the fact that Theodore Roosevelt has a warm place in the hearts of the American people, in the hearts of the plain men, in the heart of the intelligent citizen, in the heart of the righteous citizen, of this repub lie such as has never been occupied by any public man in his day or genera tion. He sent us his annual message making various suggestions and vari ous recommendations. He sent us nessage the other day re-enforcing the suggestions of his annual message, and be disturbed because we do not put friends on the other side sec them all on the statute book at once They had better read a little deeper self realizes that it is a task of years to work out solutions of the problem which he suggests. - Congressman Payne.

The Administration's Record. I do not rise at this time for the purose of defending the present admin istration. It needs no defense with the American people. Its record will illumine the pages of United States his tory and mark an epoch in popular gov ernment. To it the student of the future will point as the period when the people came into the possession of their own by establishing as facts the there tofore theories of a republic where by legislation and administration it was declared that special interests must not prevail when in conflict with the comnon good and that Federal law is en neted for no class or fluancial cond tion, but for the people-not the rich people, not the white, not the black but all of the people, rich and poor great and small, white and black .-- Cor gressman Townsend of Michigan.

rookl lumor to-day. dozen records last night.

PRICE OF PALSE ECONOMY.

Faulty Construction Cause of Cleve land School Horror. In his verillet on the Collinwood chool horror the coroner blames ex-

isting conditions, but no specific fault is churred to any one. Fritz Hirter, the janitor, is ex-But, onerated. gnarded from fruntle mothers and cursing fathers, cross-quesand probed, three of his own little children burned or trampled to death in the fearful ca

FRITZ HIRTER. tastrophe, Hirter s said to have gone mad. He was badly burned while trying to save the

tion for revision by the next Congress The coroner found that the fire assembled for that purpose on a pure-ly protective basis that will take into tarted in a closet, under the front stairway, and was caused by over-heated pipes, which isnited the stair-way. The death of the children, he count the interests of the producers, farmers, wage carners and manufacinters. It covers the ground without says was due to faulty construction whereby a partition projected in front The demand that the civil and politiof the stairway at the bottom, making cal rights of the colored man be rethe children turn out of the way in spected in conformity to the letter and their rush for the door. He holds that the children became panic-stricken and spirit of the fourtenth amendment, with the recommendation that in those were jammed in the doorway because States where these rights are withheld of the turn in the hall to get to the the representation in Congress and the

tition, two feet and eight inches in width, was directly responsible for the



THE DEATH-TRAP CORNER.

death of 167 children in the burned school building in North Collinwood. It was an error of false econd my, which proved costly beyond com pare. There were no storm doors outside the outer doorway. It was cheap er to put a partition ncross the hallway inside than to build storm doors outside. So the partition was built.

The long black line shows path of exit for children if they had continued through the door. But, coming downstairs in a rush, many swerved toward the right and landed behind the partition to which arrow from right of picture points. As the pile of little bodies grow, the mass extended behind the closed part of the double doors and soon filled all the space at the bottom of the stairs (marked by X), gathering into the tangle all that came later from above.

"The paramount lesson of the ca tastrophe," said W. S. Lougee, Cleve-land City Building Inspector, "is the need of an overhauling of every antiquated school building in the country In the larger cities, at least, the mod ern school building is made tirenroof Yet there are hundreds of buildings, scattered through the cities, which were built years ago, are behind the times and positively unsafe. These buildings should be remedled at once

At the recent hearing of the judicinry ate on the proposed amendment to strike the word "male" from the Stare constitu-tion, several specially selected delegates represented the Socialist party. Among these was Morris Hillquir, a New York City attorney. In supporting the prowoman suffrage was one of the permanent and material planks of the platform of his party, not only in this country, but throughout the world, considered not as a matter of abstract and sentimental justice to be realized in the dim future, but as an accrued social right already too ong withheld.

Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, when he appeared before the House committee on judicings to urge the passage of the Pearre bill relt sincerely sympathized "with all our people," and added, "I have reason to believe that the President is not thoroughly informed as to the real remedy for the cause of complaint." Mr. Gom-pers made the prediction that the labor organizations would be heard from in the impending campaign.

The public ownership party of St. Pau has challenged the constitutionality of that part of the State primary election law which requires a candidate for office to pay a filing fee of \$10. Each of the nine candidates for office on the public ownership ticket has filed a protest with the county auditor against paying the fee of \$10 for having his name entered on law to be unjust and rold.

The Minnesota Democratic State cen teal committee after a hard fight in on Johnson for President.

Both houses of the Ohio Legislature have passed the Rose county option pro-hibition bill, which provided that one-fourth of the electors in any county may demand that the license question may be submitted at an election, the result of which cannot be changed for two years thereafter. The Anti-Saloon League offi-cers predict that under this act eighty-four of Ohio's eighty-eight counties will abouse saloons within a year.

A- Sirst district caucus in Iowa the or the Eighth district, at Carson the standpatters won a decided victory, passing resolutions indorsing the re-elec-tion of Allison and Hepburn.

ple has been laid in Konsas City, Mo. The ten-hour workday law for women In the State of Oregon has been declared

The printing trade in Canada employs almost 10,000 people at an annual wage list of \$5,540,885.

ent time, from 300,000 to 500,000 persons working in metals.

Kansas City (Mo.) labor unions hope

Twenty-three Internationals in this

Ladies' Tailors and Dressmakers' Union

riddish for its members. A Taunton (Mass.) city ordinance re mires the eight-hour day and wage scale

A union to be composed of street isborers, in San Francisco, Cal., is a possibility of the near future.

An ordinance requiring the fortnightly payment of city laborers was recently passed at Concord, N. II.

A State factory inspector has been ap

has just indersed woman suffrage for the first time. The vote was unanimous. The Kentucky State Federation conven-

tion recommended several labor measures which are now before the Legislature. Minneapolis (Minn.) unions are pre-

paring to take a decided stand for the wage scales and agreements this spring. Loom Fixers' National Association rep-

union of twenty members; at present the city has twelve unions with over 400 Literature published by the A. F. of L.

is to be translated into Yiddish, to be used for educational purposes among immigrants.

The mayor of Key West, Fla., is en-forcing the child labor law by appointing

A local union of lay figure makers has been instituted in Brooklyn, N. Y. It will be chartered by the American Fed-

eration of Labor.

The Metal Polishers, Buffers, Platers and Brass and Silver Workers Union international biennial convention will be ield in Boston in August, 1900.

The Kansas State Federation of Labor which was organized last August, now has affiliated over 120 organizations, embrac-

ng a membership of more than 6,500. South Carolina State Federation of La-

after the interest of labor legislation. New York Stereotypers' Union No. 1 has started a movement to create a fund

for the purpose of erecting a monument to be known as a labor temple in New York City.

in increase of 140 over the same period

ton, adopted a resolution demanding an extra session of the Legislature to remedial mining laws.

Textile workers have issued over sixty charters since the last convention in October, 1906, and will no doubt show several thousand increase in membership in.

Chicago locals of railway employes, besides providing permanent officers for the international officials.

Under the new law which has just into effect in Mussachusetts it is inlawful for any person or corporation to require an employe to work on Sunday unless the employe is allowed twenty-four

funds of the union and individual mem-bers. They have been encouraged to this step by the operations of a loan fund which they established some time ago.

The Shop Assistants' Union of Sydney. Australia, has resolved that steps be taken to join with kindred societies in ing a federation of shop assistants,

The legislative committee of the Arkansas State Federation of Labor is aclively looking after labor interests at the

0,000 of its 12,000 members are out of work.

Great Herd of Carlbon.

Reports from Dowson City say that the



men would be safer, more intelligent and in the end more democratic, than un autocratic mayor or our present system. We need men as agents of the people who are competent business men and have proved themselves to be such. Municipal business has become very complicated and needs We can only get expert men into

chief function is to select experts. These directors have to be men capable of directing the grand policies of the

done ought to be democratic, if it isn't now. Those are the very conditions of the life of democracy. But no form of government will be good government unless there be behind it the voting population which desires good gov-

Governor.

ative rulers can never afford to forget whom they serve. That remark of one of our Governors that "the people and enforcing under well-defined limitations their laws

and Presidents and Cabinets combined cannot do it."

EVERYBODY LIKED HIM.

At an auction in a storage warehous

the auctioneer had but just restored

harmony between two females, each of

whom believed herself to be the pur-

chaser of two pigs in a blue china

automobile, when a small voice piped

up, demanding to know when the kit-

tens were to be put up for sale. The

auctioneer paid no attention, says a

writer in the New York Sun, because :

roll-top desk was in danger of going

for six dollars and a half. Again the

dering if he had missed n lot.

going to be sold, and I want one.

chance of being live stock long.

ly out of fashion.

it was very lifelike.

treating little figure, and even the auc-

tioneer was moved to momentary at

lence, all of which goes to show that the simple, natural child is never real-

Gave Herself Away.

ly before the latest picture by a well

known illustrator which ornamented

the wall of the bachelor girl. It repre

sented an exceedingly athletic young man in the act of enguing a fluffy

ruffled young lady and imprinting

passionate salute upon her upturned

All agreed that it serued perfect.

What girl, I ask you, ever received

a real klas, such as a portrayed here,

with her eyes not bitesfully closed? A

she is kissed by the man she is fond

The wuchen all agreed that the criti-

"Don't you see that the girl's eyes

said the bachelor grl.

The group of friends stood admiring

lisp out:

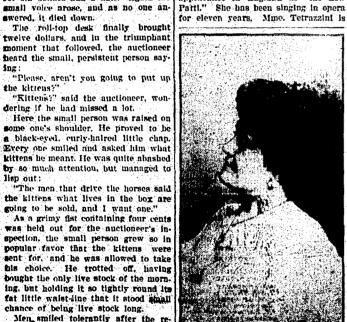
which admitted their own stupidity.

"Now, as to whether the man's eyes ought to be closed, I don't know, as I have never noticed."

And then the bachelor girl was suddenly overcome with confusion as a chorus of delighted shricks and shouts arose from the assemblage present.

HAILED AS THE "NEW PATTL"

Mme. Luisa Tetrazzini, who scored success at her first appearance in New York, singing in "La Traviata," was hailed by the London critics on her appearance in England as "the new Partl." She has been singing in opera



MME TETRAZZINI.

a native of Florence, and first appear ed in opera in her native city as Ines in "L'Afficaine," She has sung in alost every country of the world, though having yet to make her first

The Over-Strict Librarian Postmaster General Meyer, at a diner in Washington, was advocating

postal banks. "These banks," he said, "have so many good points and so few bad one that they who find fault with them The young ladies gushed over it with have to exaggerate and dwell on their enthusiasm, while the men agreed that defects like hu old librarian I used to know. This librarian was very strict There is one serious defect in the and censorious. Once, when I was a after the first outburst. "The artist has made one serious mistake, at which him. He, as usual, looked closely into the book's colldition before marking it I am surprised. Can any one pick it

off on my card. "'Page Mi,' he said; glaring at me over him spectacles, 'n hole,' Then be turned the len: "Page 00," he added, 'another Sole.'.

A well known confidence operator unferses that he can rob three wise men with he is becoming acquainted keeper than to purchase his goods, with a foot of

Sucress is not appear pleasant. There is the topolarul to chair, for inciam was true and sold four strange it is the becomes

### DINNER SERVED AT OPERA

Parties at Covent Garden. leves will not only become popular ing to the appetite at early perform

warm by means of patent heat-retain Thus Queen Alexandra, with one or two friends, was able to turn from the stage to dinner, which they had time o enjoy heartily before the beginning f the next act. When the curtain ascended the attendants disappeared

with an apron string.

ral between the first and second acts of the opera on Thursday night, the Queen set a fushion that society behe charm of the idea, but will also solve the practical problem of ministerances without missing parts of the oners, says the Landon correspondent of the New York Times. Owing to the increasing demand for the rendition of operus without cuts, the eating problem has recently become very acute at the long performances. The situation becomes especially annoying when the performance begins as early as 6:30, as was the case with "Slegfried" in

English at Covent Garden on Thursday, During the general scamper to neighboring refreshment bars and sandwich depots between the first and second acts four attendants carefully carried into the rear of the royal box a small table, already set, and containing the Oncen's favorite dishes. The food had cen prepared at the palace and kept

Canine Advertisers

may we come at last?" Judging from the expressions heard in the crowd, which almost blocked the thoroughfare, the dogs were more a detriment to the storekeeper's trade than an aid. They shivered in the keen air, despite the protecting blankets, and looked so wistfully toward the store door, as though begging to be released from their exposed posttion, that the people were more moved to pity them and condemn the store-

The average man will stand without hitching a good deal better than if tiel

By having her dinner brought from Buckingham Palace and served in the rear of the royal box during the inter-

with the dinner table as silently as

they had appeared. Many persons believe that box dinner parties will be accepted as really smart and sensible functions as Covent Garden in the future.

novel method of advertising his wares ast week. Two show cases of the upright variety stood in front of his loor, and on each was planted a dog dressed in gaudy blankets and be-decked with miniature "plug" hats, Each held a stick in its mouth, from which were suspended in banner fash ion placards setting forth the merits of the merchant's goods. One of the dogs was a splendid specimen of a brindle buil; the other was an Irish terrier, the saucy expression of whose face was accentuated by the "plug" hat ocked rakishly over one ear. The two eved the crowd somewhat bashfully and anon looked at each other as though to say: "To what base uses

Chicago Inter Ocean.

"Before our marriage," remarked the freight payer of the combine, "I had "light heart." "And now?" queried the alleged bet

ter half. "I have a light pocketbook," he re-

Gunner-Great Jupiter! Bowling

ecorda?

electoral college be reduced, will be One little section of a vestibule parleartily approved by every citizen who believes in justice and equal opportun-Revefting to local issues, the plat-

form briefly reviews the record of the nt administration for economy and efficiency and makes many recom-mendations, including the extension of the merit system, competitive bidding for supplies in state institutions, a compulsory primary election law, su-pervision of state banks and trust comnuies, the abolition of child labor, improvement of public highways, the estoration of the canals and the repeal of the bill authorizing political parties to make the approval approval of proposed constitutional amendments a part of their ticket.

Ohio Republican Platfors

climination of matters referring exclu-

sively to state affairs, the platform

adopted by the Republicans of Ohio

night, with judgment and propriety, be chosen as the voice of the party when its representatives assemble at

Words cannot be framed to express

a stronger indorsement of the President and of his policies than is con-

talued in the Ohlo pronouncement.

Iteference is made to these policies, in-

cluding both those which have already been put in effective operation, such as the rate lill, and those for the legal

enactment of which all the energies of

the administration are bent, such as

the employers' liability law, a greater

navy and merchant marine, an expan-

sive system of internal waterway im-

provements and a national board of

The turiff is disposed of in a sen-

tence, which is an unequivocal declara-

ienith.

waste of words.

Chleago in national conference.

The platform declares likewise in favor of a law whereby the people in nolitiont sub-divisions shall have a direct voice in the matter of grants and franchises for the use of the streets lighways and other public property. This is opposed to the pet scheme of Tom Johnson, who is supposed to be ponsor for a bill now before the legislature the purpose of which is to pernlt a new company to succeed to exulred franchise rights without the conent of the people.-Toledo Blade.

The Nebraska Democratic platform s known to have been revised by Mr. Bryan and is believed to have been written by him. In its pompous statement of self-evident truths and in the plausibility of its half-truths it certainy bears "Bryan" stamped all over it. Hence it may be set down as the Bryan It contains, of course, all of Mr. Bryan's old hobbles such as the tion of Senator by popular vote," and

it offers the sapient suggestion that

Bryan's Nebraska Platform.

the way to "bust the trusts" is to "put on the free list" anything manufactured by a joint stock company. It also counsels, of course, the hauling down of the fing in the Philippines and the abandonment of that American territory. It also looks forward, in times when every other nation is getting away from academic "free trade," to a "tariff for revenue only" as a millennial condition toward which we

should strive. The platform clearly declares for a national income tax and a national inheritance tax, not for revenue but to 'reach 'swollen fortunes.'" It does not even pretend that a larger national revenue is needed. It openly presents these "taxes" as a method of taking away property from the men who are

supposed to have "too much." It goes to the full length of state socialism with respect to regulation of commerce and industry. It "asserts" not only "the right of Congress to exercise complete control over interstate ommerce." but also "the right of each state to exercise just as complete control over commerce within its borders It would have us all live at all times nder the shadow of governmental inspection, state and national.

In brief, the Bryan platform invites

us by our votes to put upon our necks

bodies the strait-jacket of state socialism. It offers as a balm for our wounds the hair of the dog that has oltten us. It promises to keep on doing to usonly harder and more continuouslyexactly what has been done to us for

has brought us to our present re-Do we want more of the dose have had for the last six months? For ane and free Americans there can be but one anwawer. We do not .- Chicago Inter Ocean.

the last three or four years, and what

. That Handy Surplus. Silly free trade writers are harping

on the treasury surplus as one of the causes of the existing situation. They never stop to think that because of this very surplus the government was able to rush \$25,000,000 of currency to the relief of banks which would otherwise have been compelled to suspend payment and close their doors. That treas ury surplus has proved an anchor of safety, a fortress of financial strength prerament had no surplus with which to help out the banks in the free trade regime of 1893-7. It was instend issuing bonds to the extent of \$260,000. 000 to cover treasury deficits. Protee

Quiet at Last.

Gunner-Harker appears to be in a Guyer-No wonder. He amashed o

tion surpluses are sometimes handy

Guver-No, the records of his wife's phonograph. Now he can get some rest.

A metal trades council has been organ fixed at Brainerd, Minn.

A labor paper in the French language has been started at Montreal, Canada. The corner stone of the new labor tem-

There are in Great Britain, at the pres-

to be able to occupy their new labor tem-ple by next Labor day.

country paid out alck benefits amounting to \$003,436.61 last year.

of \$2 a day for laborers.

pointed from the ranks of organized la-bor at Newport News, Va. Washington State Federation of Labor

resents an almost absolute organization of the men of the craft throughout the Last year Regina, Canada, had one

Local Union No. 185, Cigarmakers' International Union of Philadelphia, has invested \$12,000 in a mortgage on realty

police officer to see that the children ittend school.

Cornwall (Canada) Union of the International Steam Shovel and Dredge Engineers favors amalgamation with the Associated Brotherhood,

oor is considering the matter of having a committee at the State Legislature to look

During the period of ten months, 320 new charters have been granted by the American Federation of Labor, which it

The West Virginia State Federation of Labor convention, in session at Hunting-

The acquisition by the international and local unions of Chicago of a new building, will accommodate the twenty-two

An important federation. formed in England, called an "Association of Wood Working Trade Unions." It is composed of seven of the great unions engaged in the wood-working industry, consisting of 81,000 members.

without labor during the six days ensuing. The cigarmakers of Minneapolis will try the plan of organizing a banking system on a small scale, to handle the

bor is gaining strength by new affiliations. Reports to the New York and New Jer-

preatest herd of caribon ever seen in the Yukon is now heading southward across the head of the Sixty Mile river, about 100 miles west of Dawson. The Feed has been crossing there for over three months and it is estimated that fully 100,000 have already crossed, and the end of the procession is not in sight. Government explorers in the Hudson's Bay barren lands reported that from 13882,980 to 2,000,000 of these animals were seen three during a space of the days only a few

fury list in 1658, the year in which

Richard Cromwell succeeded his fa

ther as protector of England: Faint

A REMARKABLE MAN.

Active and Bright, Though Almost

shepard Kollock, of 44 Wallace St.

Red Bank, N. J., is a remarkable man at the age of 98. For 40 years he was a victim of kidney troubles and doctors said he would never

had to get up several times each night

Donn's Kidney Pills, with fine results. They have given me entire relief." Sold by all dealers, 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

He Approved That Plan.

if his ears were defective his pocket-

"We've been talking over Margaret's voice," said a danntless and tactful

relative who had been delegated to ap-

rough Uncle Hiram on the subject

It really seems as if she ought to take

lessons and practice regularly. Her

mother talks of selling a little of her

Uncle Hiram's keen old face wore a

"Have to practice two, three hours

a day, I suppose?" he said dully, "Ok, yes." said the venturesome rel

ative. Then she had a sudden inspira-

"It would be best of all if she could

that is out of the question, the ex-

pense."-Youth's Companion.

Herald.

into sugar.

go fine together

"Never you mind about the ex-

The man who is driven to drift by

had luck would probably have been

fulned by promerity.—Chicago Record-

HAPPY OLD AGE

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will not overtax the digestive organs

Such an ideal food is found in Grape

Nuts, made of whole wheat and barley

by long baking and action of diastase. In the barley which changes the starch

The phosphates also, placed up under

the bran-coat of the wheat, are includ-

ed in Grane-Nuts, but left out of white

flour. They are necessary to the build-

good and am stronger than I was ten

years ago. I am over 74 years old and attend to my business every day.

"Among my customers I meet a man

every day who is 92 years old and at-tributes his good health to the use of

Grape Nuts and Postum which he has

used for the last 3 years. He mixes

Grape Nata with Postum and says they

be able to may I am well. I suffered greatly with constitution now my hab-

its are as regular as ever in my life.

fills the bill. I can think and write a:

Whenever I make extra effort I

"There's a Reason " Name given by

"For many years before I began to eat Grape Nuts a could not say that I enjoyed life or knew what it was to

"I have used Grape-Nuts," writes an Iowa man, "for 8 years and feel as

ing of brain and nerve cells.

while supplying true nourishment.

mining stock for Margaret's sake."

nuthous expression.

It was sald in the Norton family

be cured. "I was try-ing everything." says Mr. Kollock. "but my

twinge through me. I

Not Hewitt, Redeemed Compton, Stand

FIFTEIN YEARS OF ECZEMA.

**Ferrible** Itching Prevented Sleep-Hands, Arms and Legs Affected-Cutleura Cured In & Days.

I had eczema nearly fifteen years, The inflected parts were my hands, Fast-outile-High Stinger, Be-Conrecous arms and legs. They were the worst in Cole, Search-the-Scriptures Moreton, the winter time, and were always Kill-Sin Pimple, Be-Faithful Joiner Itchy, and I could not keep from Fight-the-Good-Fight-of-Faith scratching them. I had to keep both More-Fruit Flower, Weep-Not Billing hands bandaged all the time, and at Repentance Avis, and so on. night I would have to scratch through the bundages as the itching was so revere, and at times I would have to tear everything off my hands to scratch the I could not rest or sleep. I had several physicians treat me but they could not give me a permanent cure nor even could they stop the Itching. After using the Cuticura Soap, one box of Cuticura Ointment and two bottles of Cuticum Resolvent for about six days the itching had ceased, and now the sores have disappeared, and I never felt better in my life than I do now Edward Worell, Band 30th U. S. Infan-

There was an element of romance i

the late Lord Kelvin's second mar riage. It was at the Canary Islands that the great scientist met his bride to-be, and her interest in scientific pursuits drew them together. The sc entist went to great length to unfold a new system of signaling, and as he said good-by to the huly on the bridge that Uncle Hiram had no ear for misof his yacht on leaving he looked at sle, as he falled to appreciate the vo her and smilingly said: "Do you think call efforts of his niece Margaret. But you understand the system now? "Oh, yes," replied his lady friend, "I book left nothing to be desired.

am sure I understand." "Then," said the scientist, "watch the vessel as it disappears from view and

I will flash you a message."

The message was, "Will you be my The lady's reply the world

Of Another Age. The mighty man who never told a lie

What wondrous things are with his memory linked! But he belongs, alas! to times gone by; A figure mastodonie, but extinct,

-Washington Star. Only One "BROMO QUINING"

for the signature of E. W. GROVE Used the murmured thoughtfully, "but of course World over to Cure a Cold in One day. 25c.

The heart of a vegetarian beats, on an average, lifty-eight to the minute; that of the ment-eater seventy-live. This reprepense!" broke in Uncle Hiram joyfulsents a difference of 20,000 beats in twenly. "If she can go abroad-a long ways abroad—to take her lessons and do her practicing I'll foot the ex-

Garfield Tca—a simple and satisfac-tory laxative! Composed of Herbs, it regulates liver and kidneys, overcomes constipation and brings Good Health.

The entire population of the world could be placed on the Isle of Wight.

Mrs. Winalow's Courning System for Children techning; softens the gene, reduces inflammation, allege pain, cures wind colic. It cants a bottle.

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SO NEW AND VANDE IN THE STATE OF Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. 1 "The Bong to Wellville," in page

# WORK OF CONGRESS |

Under the guise of discussing legislation the session of the Senate Monday was devoted to a political discussion, in which Senator Tillman of South Carowhich Senator Tillman of South Carolina and Senator Beveridge of Indiana were the chief participants. The conference report on the Indian appropriation bill was disagreed to and another conference asked. The House bill appropriating \$403,030 to pay the arcibishap of Manila, as representative of the Roman Catholic Church, for damage to church property during the Spanish war, was passed. The session of the Tiouse was devoted to the consideration of bills under suspension of the rules. A number were passed, including one providing for der suspension of the ruge." As numer-were passed, including one providing for the restoration of the motto, "In God We-licreasing the efficiency of the medical department of the army. Other bills passed were the following: Granting to lo-cal steamboat inspectors authority to passe upon the fitness of officers and crews of steam vessels; recognizing the consular service and amending the game laws of Alaska so as to substitute the license system for the present permit system. - :--- :-

After spraking for two and a half hours in the Scinite Tuesday on the pend-ing currency bill. Senator La Folietta asked permission to suspend his remarks and conclude Wednesday. Senator Aldand conclude weathers, seminities on finance amendments to the bill exempting railroad bonds from the classes of bonds to be used to seemer emergency currency, limiting the retirement of such currency and providing that such issues should be permitted up to the par value of bonds used to scenre them. Praise of President Roosevelt, Secretary Taft and Will-lam J. Bryan was heard in the House during general debate on the pension appropriation bill.

After a ten-minute session the Senate Wednesday morning adjourned out of respect to the memory of the late Senator Whyte of Maryland. General debate on the pension appropriation bill continued for over four hours in the House. The subjects discussed took a wide range politics, finance, the trusts and the Pres dent's last special message all receiving attention. Mr. Mouser of Ohio predict-ed the election of Secretary Taft for President, while Mr. Hull of Tennessee in an arraignment of the Republican par ty appeared equally confident that Will-iam J. Bryan would be the successful candidate. At 4:24 p. m. the House ad-journed out of respect to the memory of

Continuing his speech begun in the Senate last Tuesday. Senator LaFollette of Wisconsin Thursday devoted considerback was lame and weak and every ex-ertion sent a sharp able time to discussing a proposition for the physical valuation of railroads. The Sennte devoted part of the day to the consideration of the omnibus claims bill. and then referred it back to committee and the kidney secretions contained a heavy sediment. Recently I began using for further consideration. After several hours of spirited discussion over the proposition to abolish seventeen of the proposition to aboust seventeen of the eighteen United States pension agencies, and consolidate pension disbursements in Washington, the House passed the pen-sion appropriation bill, carrying \$150, \$89,000, the largest sum ever authorized by that measure. In the course of the debate Mr. Fitzgerald of New York accoxed the President of using federal pat-ronage to further the candidacy of Sec-retary Taft. Messrs. Harrison of New retary Taft. Messrs. Harrison of New York and Williams of Mississippl criticised the President for having, as the stated, exceeded his constitutional author ity in making laws for the Panama canal

> Friday was consumed by the consideration and final vote on the ship subsidy bill, which was passed without a division being called for. A bill was also passed in-creasing the salaries of men employed h the life saving service. President Roosevelt was roundly denounced in the House by Mr. Hardwick of Georgia for failing to send to Congress all information regard ing corporations which had come into his possession. Mr. Mann of Illinois asserted that the President had acted with the utmost good faith in sending to Congress all information that had come to him. The discussion arose over a resolution by Mr. Hardwick to require the Presider to supply the House with all data so far obtained by the bureau of corporations. It was tabled, 148 to 115. The fortifica-

> Almost the entire session of the Senate Saturday was consumed with the consideration of the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, which was passed, carrying an appropriation of \$32,945,631, the amount added to the House bill by the Senate being 8642,718.
> Without being materially amended the fortification appropriation bill was passed by the House. During the closing debate the War Department was criticised by several members regarding the money spent on fortifications at Subig Bay. The Democrats procured the adoption of an amendment permitting the Secretary of War to purchase abroad "any" war material, but the Republican leaders soon rallied their members and reversed that action, leaving in the bill a restriction to "limited quantities."

tions bill was taken up, but sidetracked

for general debate.

NATIONAL CAPITOL NOTES.

President Roosevelt declined an invitation to speak at Galesburg, Ill., Oct. 7, when the fiftieth anniversary of the Lincoln-Douglass debate will be celebrated. The President has decided to make no

speeches next fall.

A special committee to consider bills for the establishment of a postal savings bank system was appointed by the com-mittee on postoffices and post roads in the Senate. The committee is composed of Senators Carter, Proctor, Burrows, Chy and Bankhead.

In recognition of the growing intimacy between the regular army and the na-tional militin, Acting Secretary of War Oliver has issued an order creating a new division in the War Depactment, to be known as the division of militia affairs, with Col. E. N. Weaver of the coast arfillery in charge.

Secretary of War Tak won a victory in the Sameone Court of the District of Counting a seri Justice Could dismissed the init of coupling of Lewis M. Danja of Philaderial is who sought to restrain Secretary Tat. Juan prosecuting the work Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Rend Texas involving \$2001000.



How many American women in lonely homes to-day long for this blessing to come into their lives, and

blessing to come into their lives, and to be able to utter these words, but because of some organic derangement this happiness is denied them.

Every woman interested in this subject should know that preparation for healthy maternity is accomplished by the use of LYDIA E PINKHAM'S

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Mrs. Maggie Gilmer, of West Union, S. C., writes to Mrs. Pinkham:
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Mrs. Josephine rian, of Darustown, Ky., writes:

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Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health. Address, Lynn, Mass.

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"Doctor, will my boy recover?"
"Recover? Madam, it will take more than a fall off a trolley car to kill your boy. He's the toughest little imp that runs the streets."
"O, thank you, doctor! You have tak-

en such a load off my mind!"-Chicago

"Speakin' of these here State charita-ble ins'tutions," remarked Uncle Jerry Peebles, "I reckon they nin't as black as they're painted nor as white as they're

In a Pinch, Use Allen's Foot-Ease A powder to shake into your shoes. It rests the feet. Cures Corns, Bunions, Swotlen, Sore, Hot, Callous, Aching, Sweating feet and Ingrowing Nails. Allen's Foot-Ease makes new or tight shoes easy. Sold by all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 25c. Sample mailed FRIE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

How to Use a Spoon Miss Freshleigh-I'm sure I don't en courage that young Mr. Hankinson, but he insists on being spoony. What ought I to do?

Her Chaneron-Move him from you clear. That is the correct usage in

Do You Est Pie?

If not you are missing half the pleasure of life. Just order from your grocer a few packages of "OUR-PIE" and learn how easy it is to make Lemon, Chocolate and Custard ples that will please you. If your grocer won't supply you, no to one who will. Put up by D-Zerta Food Co., Rochester, N. Y.

Marriage Dickering in Hungary. custom for the bridegroom to pay a sum to the bride's parents, and in case the parties cannot agree, the mayor as arbitrator. A mayor, who is a cattle dealer, recently had to decide a case of this kind, and after inspecting the bride decided that the bridegroom mist my the parents at the rate of half a crown for each pound that the bride weighed. The verdict was acrepted, and the woman weighing eightysix pounds, the bridegroom handed over the equivalent of \$53.75, after which the wedding ceremony was performed.

Did the Best He Could. "Please, sir," said the beggar, "give a poor old man a few pennies?"

costed, "didn't I give you a dime three days ago?" "I believe you did, sir." replied th

beggar; but, do the best I can, I find it absolutely impossible to keep my ex penses below three and one-third cents a day, and your dime is all gone, sir. -Chleago News.

WESTERN CANADA CROPS CAN-NOT BE CHECKED.

Onte Yielded 90 Bushels to the Acre. The following letter, written the Do-

ninion Government Commissioner of Emigration, speaks for itself. It proves the story of the agents of the governnent that on the free homesteads of fered by the government it is possible a become comfortably well off in a few Reging, Sask., Nov. 23, 1007.

Commissioner of immigration, Winni-

Dear Sir-It is with pleasure that I reply to your request. Some years ago I took up a homestead for myself and ilso one for my sou. The half section which we own is situated between Rou leau and Drinkwater, adjoining the Moose Jaw Creek: is a low level and heavy land. We put in 70 acres of wheat in stubble, which went 20 bush els to the acre, and 30 acres of summer follow, which went 25 bushels to the acre. All the wheat we harvested this year is No. 1 hard. That means the best wheat that can be raised on the earth. We did not sell any wheat yet, as we intend to keep one part for our own seed, and sell the other part to people who want first-class seed, for wheat you will harvest good wheat We also threshed 9,000 bushels of firstclass oats out of 160 acres. Eighty acres has been fall plowing, which yielded 90 bushels per acre, and 80 acres stubble, which went 30 bushels to the acre., These outs are the best kind that can be raised. We have shipped three car loads of them, and got 53 cents per bushel clear. All our grain was cut in the last week of the month of August before any frost could touch it. Notwithstanding the fact that we

have had a late spring, and that the weather conditions this year were very adverse and unfavorable, we will make more money out of our crop this year

For myself I feel compelled to say that Western Canada crops cannot b checked, even by unusual conditions. I am, dear sir, yours truly.

(Signed) A. KALTENBRUNNER.

Exhibit A. Weerins (dropping in again)—Well. Mr. Brackett, have you designed anything new lately that you would like to show

Busy Architect-Why, yes: I've put a unique ornamental panel on the outside of my office door. I'll show it to you

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Principles.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation

More About Him, Old Grimes had died.

Reverent hands removed the long blac cont he had always worn. Then it was discovered why he has tept it always buttoned down before.

He had no vest.—Chicago Tribune.

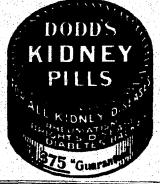
WHAT CAUSES HEADACHE From October to May, Colds are the most fre quent cause of Headache, LANATIVE BROMO QUININE removes cause, E.W. Grove on box 25:

A new desk and office convenience a tool for removing rusty, or corrode-ness from the holder. Most persons who work at a deak have experienced more or ess difficulty in this connection, and veroften the fingers are cut with the sharp edges of the pen or solled with rist and ink. This clever device has handles like pliers, by closing which the pen is grip-ped and then drawn out by a small trig-ger-like lever operated by the forefinger.

Same as Horseffesh. Rustic-What makes these

things go? Owner of Automobile (who had just paid a repair bill)-Money.

The cost of hauling coal for its own locomotives is estimated at I mills per ton-mile on the St. Louis and San Fran-cisco railroad, and the labor of handling



Correct Interpretailing Resentian.
Many of the most beautiful pieces of oetry in literature would seem uninteresting and flat if read by a bad reiter. In the same way a good reciter will make attractive a poem whose eautles are not so apparent. A fine Painter will light up each little beauty in his pictures until the smallest detail is attractive and strikes the eye. It is only the mediocrity whose work is characterized by someness and lack of interest.—Strand Magazine.

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Flibberty—"When I begin to suspect hat I'm working too hard at my business go and consult my doctor. If he says I'm all right I go back to work."

Jibbit—"There's nothing original in that idea. Whenever I get uneasy about myself I apply for another thousand or two of life insurance. If I pass the examination I know I'm O. K."

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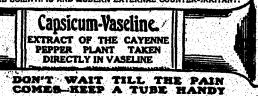
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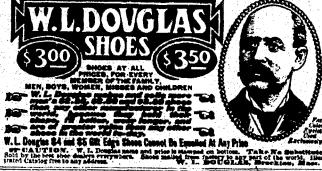
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GRAYLING, THURSDAY, MAR. 26

## **Home**CircleDepartment

A Baby's Soliloquy.

One of our good neighbors, who claims she can interpret "baby talk," vouches for the truthfulness of the too, and makes me blink, I tell you results. And I don't know what to do with my hands. I think I'll dig my fists in my eyes. No, I won't. I'll scrabble at the corner of my blanket and chew it up, and then I'll holler; whatever this season from the methods pursued happens, I'll holler. And the more paregoric they give me the louder I'll yell. That old nurse puts the spoon in the corner of my mouth in a very uneasy way, and keeps tasting my milk herself all the while. She spilled anuff in it last night, and when I hollered, she trotted me. That comes of being a two days old baby. Never mind, when I'm a man I'll pay her back good. There's a pin sticking in me good now, and if I say a word about it I'll be trotted or fed, and would rather have catnip tea. I'll tell you who I am. I found out today. 1 heard folks say: 'Hush, don't wake un Jane's baby.' That's me. I'm 'Jane's baby,' and I suppose that pretty, white-faced woman over on the pillow is Jane. No, I am mistaken, for h chap was in here just now and wanted to see Charley's baby, and looked at me, and said I was a funny little toad. and looked just like Charley. He smelt of cigars and I'm not used to them. I wonder who else I belong to Yes, there's another one-that's Ganma. Jane told me, and then she took me up and held me against her soft cheek and said: 'It was Ganma's baby so it was.' I declare I do not know who I do belong to; but I'll holler, and maybe I'll find out."

#### A Picture for Husbands.

Here is a picture which some hus bands could study with advantage. Many a man seems to regard these household duties of the wife as not to be compared for a moment with those which engross his attention. He expects, if business has perplexed or pratical demonstrations of the merits made him anxious, to have his wife's of the many different cars at the sympathy when he comes home at might, but never imagines that during the day anything could have occurred to trouble that wife. He returns from his workshop or counting room soured perhaps, by some bad bargain, anmoyed by a stupid workman or unreasquable employer, morose from some ill-spoken word, and expects to be received with amiles: it matters not how aurly may be his looks, his wife must all sweetness and amiability. He may have no pleasant word, may take his Water streets, and will be free for the place moodily at his table, but his wife's words must be affectionate, and his wife's looks full only of gladness. What, he thinks, has she to trouble ther? And this when the poor wife has, through a long and weary day, been Electrics. These are the real merit tolling with family workand vexations cars and examples of the latest models calling on Mrs. Miller Saturday. care till her head is aching, and foot and hand and heart are sore with the worry. The tea is dispatched silently wery likely with somber complaints over the trials he has had during the day, or the closeness of the times, and ed to visit the garage and inspect the then the evening paper is taken in hand and pored over until the very advertisements are devoured, or the variety of the exhibit will no doubt Thalma have gone to Idaho with her meader's face is bowed upon the crumpled page in sleep. Or if he be not hat and rushes for the club room or part which they are coming to play in to Johannesburg after a two weeks reading room, or more probably for the lounging place where such as he do congregate; there, with the fragment of cigar in hand and desultory talks from his lips, he lingers till the noise of closing shutters warns him to built for speed and care for the more leave. He goes at last home again, because he can go nowhere else. meanwhile his wife has, with a heavy heart and tired step, got the little ones the live of autos and equipement will into bed, and as best she could has worn away the long hours of the eve-At matters not that the poor pale wife say there will be \$3.00.00 worth of has had the child in her arms through machines on exhibition. the long day a day's work with a sick babe, one of the weariest of mort at tollo-be must not be distarbed We might not be disturbed, and lie moring in landin nacouscionains spile a buil willis with swellen syne. And

The boys are on the cement walk with their roller skates. No bykes in aig hì

Agriculture at the M. A. C. and as follows: Director of the Experimental Stations of the State, has resigned and gone taxes in cash. Michigan, and they are many, will upon roads which will directly benefit wish him good fortune, and many the property paying the tax. Higheven of his friends will be glad that way improvement tax to be expended he has gone, for white all acknowledge under direction of township board, that he is a gentleman and scholar, a Highway improvement tax raised on A column dedicated to Tired Moth-great many pronounce him a failure all property in township, road repair in the practical experimental field, and that, more especially in this section of the state, where our experi- exceed 1/2 of 1 per cent. ment station has lain absolutely dormant for the past eight years, and he has, like the dog in the manger, refollowing having fallen from the lips allow anyone else to do. Prof. L. R. pone of paying for labor, material, etc. of a sweet little blossom of humanity Taft is most favorably mentioned as at time it is purchased. that recently came to a home in our his successor, and we would welcome city: "I am here. And this is what his appointment, believing that he world, and smells of paregoric aw- out the ideas advanced and work befully. It's a dreadfully light world gun by Dr. Kedzie, which promised rects.

> The managers of Mason Bros. Uncle Tom's Cabin company which will appear here at Opera House Mar. 28th have made a radical departure by most companies playing this popplar drama, insamuch as they have dispensed with the customary street parade and confine the outside advertising to simply a band concert at noon. Managers heretofore have pratically given the best part of the time on the street, introducing their dogs, donkeys and poneys that play no part in the production. The dramatic strength of the company suffered in consequence. There are no brass band actors with Mason Bro's. company, but instead, a cast of high salarled and capable performers who give a complete and convincing presentation of this greatest of all American dramas. The uniformly large audiences and the favorable comments secieved at every place visited has proven conclusively that the theater goers appreciated the efforts of the management in presenting the play with the best talent obtainable.

#### AUTOMOOBILE SHOW AT SAGINAW.

NORRIS AUTO COMPANY WILL HOLD SECOND ANNUAL EXHIBITION THERE NEXT WEEK.

many new cars may be seen at their Big garage, \$15,000.00 display. Admission free.

Lovers of the auto and all persons interested in the 20th century mode of conveyance will do well to spend a day or more in Saginaw, that they may see Norris Auto Company's big exhibit.

A splended indication of the growth of the city and the progressiveness of of one of its enterprising firms is found in the second annual automobile show to be given by this company March 30th to April 4th, inclusive.

This is an event that has heretofore been restricted to the great cities and Friday. marks an epoch for Saginaw. as complete a line of automobiles as one be, in dress, in countenance, in words would wish to see will be on display inspection of the public. Some of the best known cars are handled by this firm including the Peerless. Autocar. Locomobile and Buick in gasoline cars and the Waverly and Woods in the

The Norris Auto Conpany are pion eers in this line and have kept in touch with all the developments of the auto industry. Everone is cordially invit specimens on display. It will be well worth a visit and the extent aud prove a suprise to many who have but a faint idea of the magnitude of the weary enough for that he seizes his Automobile industry and the extensive every day life.

There will be large cars and small cars, all of the latest patterns and embodying the latest appliances for insuring comfort and safety. Cars mild enthusiast, cars of high power and cars for the social calls and professional visits.-in fact everything in be exhibited.

Among the new creations which will ming in silence and loneliness. Should appear in Saginaw for the first time a thought of his selfishness or injustice next week are the Buick-Model 10 four crees the mind of the husband he re- cyclinder gentleman's roudster at pands, with ready self-complacency, \$200,00 which has been the sensation I require relaxation and must see my at all of the automobile shows beld friends." The night is witness of the inthe big cities so far this year, and same or greater lack of sympathy, the new Buick five passenger touring Perhaps the babe is not well and is car at \$1550.00. No one can afford to restless. But that is not his business. miss it. The Norris Auto Company

#### No Use to Die.

the last legislature taken effect. April 1, 190k. It makes some radical changes in the existing order and is known as tise "New Cash Road Tax Law." A comprehensive direct of the law is Prof. C. D. Smith, late Prof. of

Provides for payment of all road

to Brazil as President of the National Two taxes. Road repair tax to be Agricultural College. His friends in expended by highway commissione No poll tax.

After tax has been decided upon by township meeting, the township board fused to do anything himself, or to may borrow & of the tax for the pur-

New roads can be laid out and open ed from either of these funds, from they call the world. I don't think would remove the stigma from this road repair if it directly benefits the much of it. It's a very flauncily station by practical work, carrying property taxed, from highway improvement if township board so di-

> Road repair work must be completed by Sept. 1, excepting that 14 of tax may be held for later necessary re-

pairs, care of snow, etc. Highway funds on hand April 1, 1908, become a part of road repair or highway improvement tax as township board decides.

Only one road district.

One overseer, who works under the direction of the highway commissioner. May attend to emergency repairs not to exceed \$10 without direction, and act as highway commissioner if the highway commissioner be unable to perform his work, or in case of vacancy.

Townships containing more than one surveyed township may have one district for each surveyed township, and one overseer in each road district. Highway commissioner is in charge

of all road work, and is responsible for duties of overseers under old law. Highway commissioner charged with keeping roads in good condition as possible. He employs all the labor.

and all payments from either fund are made upon his warrant. Compensation of highway commissioner not less than \$2 per day, nor more than \$3. Overseers not less than

\$1.50, nor more than \$2.50. Materials for making improvements, such as earth, gravel, etc., may be taken from any property set aside for highway purposes anywhere in the township, which includes the eight feet next the fence.

Repeals road machinery law so far as road districts are concerned. Road machinery can only be purchased by township board.—Saginaw News.

#### Loyells Locals.

T. E. Douglas was at Lewiston

Mr. and Mrs. David Chrysler have moved to Standish, where they expect to do some farming.

W. S. Chalker and Geo. F. Oyer were in town Wednesday, Misses Mable Redhead and Etta

Mark attended the teachers' Institute T. Walkling was at the county seat, Misses Shellenbarger and Mildred

Redhead were in town Thursday. Harry Jones was at Grayling Thurs-Messrs Lock and Luck were in town

Saturday, We are informed that \$92 was

aised for the Boutell family, who were burned out. Misses Mark and Isbister were

DAN.

#### Hardgrove Happenings

Mr. Henry Thomas Brooks is visit ing friends here for a few days.

Mrs. Date Forbes and daughter folks

Miss Myrtle Woodburn has returned

There was a suprise party at the home Jerry Shorman Saturday evening. A very good time was had. Miss Myrtle Woodburn visited the

school Thursday. 4 Mr, Frank Wilson visited the school

Friday, Mrs. C. B. Johnson and Walter

April, 1906 or who did not swear in his vote either at the June or the Meptember primary of that year can yote on the adoption of a direct primary on The found out that there is no machine and provide a machine assent a final and provide a machine assent a final and provide a machine assent assent that the first and the fill assent the fi

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### Chancery Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Circuit Court for t County of Crawford.

Cassendam amanda Rose

PRED G. ROSE

Bult pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford in Chancery, at the Village of Grayling in said County, on the sixth day of March A. D. 1908. In this cause it appearing from af-fidavit on file, that the defendant Fred G. Rose is not a resident of this

Mrs. C. B. Johnson and Walter Buck visited friends Sunday afternoon.

Mr Perry is on the sick list.

Mr, Frank Wilson is retutning to his home after working for Dirk Schruer.

Hiram LaGuire and wife are returning to Lansing after spending the winter here.

No voter who was not encolled in April, 1906 or who did not awear in his state, but residen in the state of Ohio.

fendant.
And it is Eucther Ordered, That And it is Eurolog Ordered. That within twenty days for complainant cause a notice of his order to be nublished in the Sasweden Avastancias, a newspaper printed and published and organizing in said County, and that such publication be continued therein at least once in each week for six weeks in succession, or that she cause a copy of this order to be personally served on underesident

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#### Democratic Cancus.

The Demograt electors of the township of Grayling will meet in cancus at the town hall. Thursday, March 26, at 7;30 p. m, standard time, to nominate candidates fo township officers For Sale at A. M. Lewis & Co's, Drug and to transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

By order of Committee.

#### Good for Everybody.

Mr. Norman R. Coulter, prominent architect, in the Delbert Building, San Francisco, says "I fully endorse all that has been said of Electric Bitters as a tonic medicine. It is good for everybody. It corrects stomach, liver and kidney disorders in a prompt and efficient manner and builds up the system." Electric Bitters is the best spring medicine ever sold over a druggist's counter: as a blood purifier it is unequaled. 50c. at A. M. Lewis & Co.'s drug store.

### Rabbit's Motherly Devotion.

A trapper going his rounds at Leeds-town, Cornwall, came upon a rabbit nursing her little ones, and lying on her side to do so, while she was avdently in excruciating pain. Her two forelegs were broken and bleeding and securely held in a steel trap.

### The Lacky Quarter,

Is the one you pay out for a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They bring you the health that's more precious than jewels. Try them for headache, billousness, constigution and maluria. If they disappoint the price will be cheerfully riffu at A. M. Lewis & Co.'s drag closes

## Crawford Avalanche

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, MAR. 2

Local and Neighborhod News.

#### Take Notice.

The date following your address on the paper shows to what time your

ur money. All advertisements, communications, correspondences, etc., must reach us by Tuesday noon, and can not be con-sidered later.

## Special Notice.

obliged to discontinue sending rose to their feet and expressed a desire for a special anoluting for service the AVALANCHE to a number of that they might become soul-winners. our subscribers who are long delinquent, unless they renew their week unless we find the church too subscription before April 1st. Look at the date on this paper, work will be carried on in the Methoand if you are in the list, and dist church. We are hopeful of a in the cash. Send in the cash fearless speaker and God has wonderany way for we want to use it in He will do so here if the professed our business. Do it today, be- Christians of Grayling will get into line and do their duty. We sincerely fore you forget it.

#### For fire insurance see R. W. Brink.

Mrs. L. D. To ver and the boy were visiting her sister at Evart, last week. Charles Stanard made a buisness trip to Bay City, Monday.

Alfred Olson is home from his scholastic work for a two weeks vaca-

Miss Laura London spent a few days at Bay City the last part of last

FOUND-A watch charm with in tials. Owner can get it at this office by paying for this notice.

A new disdovery-call at A. Peterson's jewelry store and he will tell you all about it.

Mrs. Luther Herrick of Grayling spent Tuesday with friends here in town.-Gaylord Herald.

For sewing machines, the best in the market, and at the lowest price, call at the AVALANCHE office.

Go to Mrs. Countryman for the best selection of flowered dishes.

Prices from 10 to 25c. You will be time and money ahead by buying a fountain pen at A. Peterson's Jewelry store.

FOR SALE-A fine young team half brothers, closely matched, good drivers and good workers, sound and O. PALMER. gil right.

Dr. C. F. Underhill of Lovell was in town the last of the week looking as though he had escaped LaGrippe and been well kept through the winter.

Buy your fountain pens at A. Peterson's Jewelry store. He handles nothing but the best, a guarantee with here so long, and ever so prominently

N. Michelson shipped two carloads of cattle to Ohio, Tnesday. They were one and two years old and were

pairing and engraving done at Petersons jewelry store. Satisfaction citizens,

Archie Simpson, of Battle Creek, a was here at their golden wedding last

Now I have it, a genuine rose-bud ew and up to date. At A. Peterson's Jewelry store.

14tto Mahnehe, a schoolmate of P-E. Johnson in the old world, now a resa fow days visit, here and in camp.

Be a satisified oustomer and buy your watches, clocks jewelry, cut Newman has an order from the glass, china silverware at A. Peter- supertendent of the Central Michigan son's icwelry store.

Burgulars broke into Foreman's Saloon Saturday night, by smashing a at Grant's Pass, Oregon, and asked the stage driver at Grant's Pass, Oregon, and asked the stage driver at Grant's Pass, Oregon, and asked the stage driver at the first the stage of the sta thirty dollars from the cash register,

Ladies attentions!-It is a genuine rose-bud you want for your Easter miles." Bert says, "If that,'s so, not Bonnet, all the rage, sold at A. Peterson's Jewelry store.

The Ladies Union will meet Friday afternoon Murch 27th at Mrs. Roblin's If is requested that all members and

church parlyrs at which Miss In Wilderness in 1894, but a shirt dissipation of the associal hour alight time from where I had established my held hospital I think he died the third day thereafter. I remember him as a heave and gentlemanly soldier and was gial to meet his appreciation of their assistance and support thing the years they have been with us so I out deep regret at losing them. Such the presented each with a hand pointed plate as a token of love and respect.

Missing them, Such the Richards which is an I out deep regret at losing them. Such the presented each with a hand pointed plate as a token of love and respect.

Missing them, Such the Richards were from where I had established the died the third day thereafter. I remember him as a heave and gentlemanly soldier and was gial to meet his daughter, though to her he is hardly a memory as she was not then three Fourth Word on the Cross: "My God! Way hast Thou forsaken and I send her most reverent and cordial greening for my comeade's All are Welcome A. C. KILDEGAARD

#### The Campaign is On.

Miss Evo arrived here Saturday afternoon, and on Sunday entered upon the revival campaign. The morning serice was in the Presbyterian church. A fairly good congregation was presem and listened with great interest to the evangelist as he carnestly appeal-The care rottowing your time your ed to the charch to may etaith in the subscription is paid. Our terms are and exhorted them to more complete \$1.50 per year In Advance. If your time is up, please renew promptly. A soul-stirring gospel song and a deep impression was made upon the audience at this first service.

The evening service was held in the Methodist church. There was a large congregation present and Mr. Weaver rave a very impressive address on revival work, showing the great need of earnest personal work. The attendance on Monday evening at the Prer-Under the ruling of the Post- byterian church was encouraging; a deep spiritual interest was manifest office Department, we shall be and at the close of the discourse many

The services will be in the Presbyterian church the remainder of this small to accommodate the people. On fully blessed his labors in other places. hope that no Christian will allow any social event or trifling excuse to keep them from these services and from discharging their duty. If we are anxious about the souls of friends and neighbors we will not. Give these services the full right of way. Come and get on fire yourself and then go out after the unsaved and lead them to Christ.

Sauday, March 29th, will be a great day; don't miss it. The services both morning and evening will be in the Methodist church.

All are cordially invited.

Last Saturday gave us the first was fully enjoyed by our people, besides, being Grange day, it gave the village an unusual lively appearance. The beautiful skating ponds in the main street changed to slush pools and rivers, and sleighs were exchanged for wheels. Summer is coming.

Wm. Schreiber has sold his home in this village and gone to Canada on prospecting tour. He will look over the Alberta district, and if not satis It is a sign of spring to see the fied will drop south into Oregon and "klds" playing marbles and the "old Washington. He it one of the straight sports" sorting up their fishing tackles sort of men that we are sorry to see leaving this section.

> Lellen. Mrs. McLellen will be well remembered here as Miss Iva High. The bereaved parents will receive the sympathy of their many friends in this county. The young mother is made glad by the presence of her nother, Mrs. Wm. Woodburn, who with her husband is spending the winter at their home.

Miss Lou E. Williams left here las Monday for the home of her childhood at Tekonsha, where she will make her home again. She has been identified with the business, social, literary and church interests of the village that her, going is universally regretted. The past two weeks have been filled with farewell dinners, teas and receptions in her honor, and she Have your watch and jewelry re- may know that she bears with her the

In our notice last week of the proposed change in the Grayling Mer- ship of Grayling will meet in caucus grandson of Mr. and Mrs John Wilcox, cantile Co.'s store, we omitted the at the town hall. Friday. March 27 basement. The building will be placed at 8.00 p. m. standard time, to namion a cement foundation with cement nate canidates for township officers floors, and finely finished and arranged for selling goods, thus giving may preperly come hefore the meethat pin, and you want it. Something three times the present floor space ing. Joseph is getting anxious for the weather to change so they can get to work, for the reduction in prices for their Alteration Sale is moving the ident of Detroit dropped off the train stock so they will have to open the here Monday and the boys" will have new stock before they are ready, if they don't watch out.

> Word is received here that Bert ship. Mining Co. of Northern California, to go to the mines and start surveying. He phoned and asked the stage driver how the roads were, and his answer was, "four feet of snow on the Siskion mountains and the passengers have to walk and carry their baggage twenty any in mine. I will wait till the clouds go by." They are making garden in Medford.

Mrs. Alice Fredenburgh of Troy, N. Y. was here last week to attend fadies of the congregation attend, to the rotten wedding of her aunt, Mrs. work on artigues of the Baster fair. c. J. F. Wilcox. Her father, Lewis E. Thursday a termoon Mar 19. The Pike of Vermont, enlisted in the 2nd There is not the figlies United in the Heeselverian Chirch, held a special meeting in the mortal wound in the harde of the church garlers at which Miss In Widerness in 1894, but a short dissemble will demand and Miss C. R. Fillman were

was the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Wilson, at the home of their daughter. Mrs. Hugh Oaks. March 18, in the presence of about eignty guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox were born in Whitingham, Vermont, where they were married in the year of '58. Siz children were born to them, four of whom are living. There are sixteen grandelilidren and two great-grandchildren. Mr. Wilcox enlisted in the ioth regiment of Vermont volunteers. Adgust 16, 1862, and moved, with his family, to Michigan in the fall of '69, coming to Crawford in '81.

At the golden wedding Mrs. Wilcox was dressed in white, wore a bridat veil and carried a bouquet of carnations and rose buds. The bride and groom of 50 years ago were attended by Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Forbes, with their little granddaughters, Ruby Oaks and Myrtle Wilson, as flower girls, being dressed in white and carrying bouquets. The knot was gracefully retied by the Hon. Wright Ruby Oaks spoke a piece Havens. entitled "Past Memories" and Myrtle Wilson spoke "Just 50 ago, John," while "Wedding Bells" and other appropriate peices were played und Among the many presents were \$45 in gold, and a beautiful gold and if you are in the list, and great revival of religion in this town. handled umbrells. Much fun was want the paper continued, send Evangelist Weaver is an earnest and created by the presentation of a large created by the presentation of a large package of gold-dust. An old-fashioned horning was given by the grandsons, which caused much merriment.

The guests from out of town were Mrs. Alice Fradenburgh of Troy, N. Y., neice of Mrs. Wilcox, Archie Simpson of Battle Creek, grandson, and Forrest Wilcox and family from Detroit. An elaborate supper was served, after which all departed for their homes, having spent an evening long to be remembered.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church meets here after at 6.30 p. m.

The Danish Young People's Society will give an entertainment at the opera house Saturday evening, April 4th. "En Nat i Roskilde ag Om Forladelse." The entertainment will spring-like breath of the season, and all be given in the Danish language. Everybody cordially invited. Prof. Madeny's Writing school

closed Tuesday with enrollment of 53 students. Clarence Johnson was the lucky one to draw the \$2.50 prize. Miss Vera Richardson was awarded a package of visiting cards for best rriting. Leslies Mc. Mahon and Arthur Niles each a package for most improvement. Prof. goes to Gaylord to give another class.

#### Best Healer in the World.

Rev. F. Starbird, of East Raymond Maine, says: "I have used Bucklen's Arnica Salve for several years, on my DIED—At Manistique, Mich., on the 15th inst. Bethel Elvira, intant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Mc-lellen. Mrs. McLellen will be well

Price 25c. at A. M. Lewis aud Co.'s drug store.

#### Proposals Wanted.

Proposals will be received by the County Poor Commissioners up to April 8, for the renting of the County Poor House, and the board and care of its inmates for the ensuing year. Particulars can be had from any mem-ber of the Board, who reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By Order of the Board.

#### Proposals Wanted.

The County Commissioners for the Poor will receive proposals for the professional service and medicine for the county poor for the ensuing year, until the second Wednesday in April, the right being reserved to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board.

#### REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.

The republican electors of the town-

By order of the Committee.

#### ANNOUNCEMENT.

I hereby announce myself as a can didate for Township Clerk before the

Respectfully P. AEBLI.

Baby Bernadine, a little child tour rears old, is a leading member of the Mason Bros. Uncle Tom's Cabin company, for not only is she the brightest miss ever see in the character of Eva but she is the youngest artist to speak intelligently the lines of the part She is also a sweet singer and her

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who does not learn to love this talented liaby artist and she is the pet of the

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1 Chiffonier, first-class workmanship, as good as new
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All-Wool Rug 9x12 rug Go-Cart with parasol, as good as new Go-Cart, much larger than the two above mentioned carts, a big value

All prices are net cash, we charge five per cent. more on time. This is not a special sale and prices will continue until the entire lot is disposed of, but we advise that you secure anything you may want without delay.

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ling and vicinityy! Grinnell Brothers, of Bay City vish it understood that T. C. Simons is no longer in their employ in any capacity whatever. His place has been filled by Mr. There is not a man, woman or child H. F. Stucke, who will hereafter look after the firms' interests in this locality. Mr. Stucke is a young man of wide experience in! the Piano and Organ business. and all orders intrusted to his care will be promptly and carefully executed. All communications for the firm should be addressed to Grinnell Bro's Music House, Bay City, Mich.

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#### MEXICAN WAR IS PREDICTED.

Paper Says U. S. Ras Designs or

Lower California. War between Mexico and the United States in the not distant future is prophesided by El Trempo, organ of the Catholic church in the Republic of Mexico. It published on its first page the other day an article which appeared in a New York newspaper recently, in which the writer advocates the purchase by the United States of the peninsula of Lower Call forala. Commenting editorially on the article, the imper arges that Mexico immediately begin to prepare for a war with the United States, as it is declared the northern republic, failing to obtain the consent of Mexico for the sale of the peninsula and its harbor, Magdalena bay, will take it by force of pure. The editor will take it by force of arms. The editor speculates on the result of the predicted war, saying Japan would take advantage of it to seize the Philippines should it oc-cur and the Republic of Colombia would undertake to regain Panama. It is point ed out that England has large interests in the Republic of Mexico and in the immediate vicinity of Magdalena bay and that the United States is determined to obtain the hurbor for strategic reasons before the completion of the Panama

#### MINISTER ABUSER OF MAILS.

Omaka Man Is Found Gullty of Sending Obscence Pictures. Judge Archbald in the United States Court in Scranton, Pa., sentenced Rev. H. E. Zimmerman of Omaha, formerly a Lutheran minister in Dickinson, Pato six months' imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$100 for sending obscene pictures through the mails. Zimmerman pleaded guilty and some of the members of his former congregation testified to his good character. The defendant sought to excuse his conduct on the ground that he needed the pictures in connection with a magnetice article.

#### 350 DIE IN ATLANTIC GALES.

Returns for Last Fall and Winter Show 251 French Victims.

A review of the marine cusualties of coast of New England and British North America during the fall and win-ter sensons just ended shows that 350 lives were lost. Of this number 251 persons perished in the wrecks of ten vessels sons persisted in the wrecks of ten vessels belonging to the French fishing fleet of St. Pierre, Miqueton, last fall. These vessels foundered in heavy gales which swept the Grand Banks. Twenty-fiv Newfoundland fishermen also were lost in here storms.

Building Censbest Six Caught. The lives of five members of the salv age corps and one police sergeant were endangered by the collapse of a floor in the Gamble-Robinson building in Minueapolis during a fire. An explosion ac-companying the crash harded the men, along with barrels, boxes and debris, twenty feet into the street, and painfully injured them.

#### Kills Wife and Shoots Self.

Jewett & Sherman Company, coffee and spice millers of Milwaukee, shot and kill-ed his wife, Florence Willoughly, at their home. After the murder Willoughly fired ce millers of Milwaukee, shot and killtwo shots over his heart and when the police were taking his confession his con-dition was so low that it is not believed he can recover.

Farmers May Form Trust.

A bill that, it is alleged, will permit the organization of a farmers' gigantic trust in Ohio was introduced in the House at Columbus by Ropresentative Stephenson of Brown county. The bill exempts from the psychians of the Valentine anti-trust act combinations "formed to limit or reduce the production or price of agricultural products."

King Manuel Must Lose Arm. El Mundo of Mudrid says that the wound Prince Manuel, now King of Portugal, received in the arm on Feb. 1, when King Carlos and the crown prince were assassinated, has not healed, and has recently become much worse, attending physicians, says the paper, declare amoutation is imperative.

Alaska Miners Order Strike At a special meeting of Douglas Island Local 109, Western Federation of Miners, in Juneau. Alaska, a general strike was called and notices were sent out or dering union men and union symmathizer. to stay away.

Prisoner Smokent Burned to Denth. Lighting his pipe in his cell in the village jail in Little Falls, N. Y., John Doberty of Middleville accidentally set fire to the mattress of his hell and was burned to death. Doherty frantically tric to escape, but the locked door barred his

Two Children Ble in Fire

The two children of John Hoff, aged t and 4 years, were harned to death in barn near Geneva. Neb. They were play-ing with matches, and set fire to the hay. which burned so rapidly they could not

Florida Senator In Dead. Senator William James Bryan of Flor-ida, youngest member of the Senate, died in Washington.

Maine Congressman Resigns Congressman Charles E. Littlefield ha sent his resignation as member gress to Gov. Cobb of Maine. member of

Oklahoma to Try Dispensary. Both houses of the Oklahoma Legisla ture passed the State dispensary system measure with an emergency claus amendment provides for a special election this year to vote on it, but as the Gov will sign the hill at once the system will be in operation before the election.

New Australian Governor. The Earl of Dudley, advocate of hom rule for Ireland, has been appointed Gov-ernor General of Australia. He was immensely popular in Ireland, where he was Lord Lieutenant from 1902 to 1900.

Receivelt to Become Educator. President Roosevelt has consented t become the head of the new Carnegie edu-entional institute, according to a well-founded rumor. Mr. Carnegie, it is said, offered the executive a large salary to begin immediately upon the completion of his term in the White House.

. Dr. Winfield So at Ferguson, aged 47. while making a call in Kansas City. Kana, was dragged from his largy by white who slugged and cobbed him, leaving him unconscious. His skull was crushed by a slungshot and he will disASSASSIN GAVE HINT TO WOMAN

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Murder Plot Against Clergy Is Traced at Paterson, N. J. The Denver News says: To an Italian roman of Paterson, N. J., Gluseppe Alla, rdered Father Leo Heinrichs at in Paterson, whither he journeyed with the body of the martyred priest, was in-formed of the interview which Alla had with the woman and caused inquiries to be made. He returned to Denver with news that may put the police on the track of a bloodthirsty hand of anti-clericals. He learned that Father Leo had informed pertain priests in Chicago some time ago that he had received threatening letters. The writers declared they would kill him ecause of his denunciation of anarchism search is now being made among the ef fects of Father Leo for these letters.

FLOOD IN THE NORTHWEST.

Rivers Arc Out of Their Banks and Tracks Are Under Water. Many points in the Pacific Northwes

ace serious damage from foods. For sev eral days heavy rains have fallen and every river is a lake. Bridges have been washed out or dynamited, railroad trucks are under water and huge landslides block are under water and luge landshites block the way. The most serious reports come from Walla Walla. Mill Creek, which flows through that city, has caused heavy loss, destroying several houses. At Pendleton the levees built last year are still holding, but there is fear that they are becoming undermined. In western Washington the rivers around Scattle and Tacony are vising that little dainings has oma are rising, but little damage has comm are rising, but little daininge has been caused. The Oregon Railroad and Navigation (Union Pacific) system has not been able to send a train through for thirty-six hours. This road is blocked, principally by heavy landslides east and west of Pendleton. Train service in the vicinity of Walla Walla and from Lewis-ton north is at a standstill. The Northern Pacific suffered to an extent from in the western part of Washipgton

#### ATTACKS OTHERS, KILLS SELF.

Young Man Dies of Polson After

Breaking Into House, James Thomas Swanson, aged 23, broke into the home of Miss Irene Everett at 823 Orille avenue, Kansas City, Kan., attacked her with a knife, mortally stab-bed her mother. Mrs. William Everett. and then drank a fatal dose of carbolic acid. Swanson; who had annoyed Miss Everett with his attentions for some time, lived next door to the Everett home and knew where the girl slept. Shortly after midnight be entered her chamber through n window and threatened her with death if she screamed. She disregarded his threat and her mother rushes to her aid. The youth stabled Mrs. Everett as she came into the room. Then he drank the contents of a bottle of poison. He was found dead on his own doorstep half an hour later.

### SET FIRE TO APARTMENT-HOUSE

Denver Incendingles Cause Panic is

Crowded Building.
Panic caused by fire early on a recent morning in the new Barnard block, at the er of West Tenth avenue and Elev-street. Denver, and used principally as living apartments, came near resulting in a wholesale loss of life, evidently th plan of incondinries. The blaze was dis-covered by a policeman. When the alarm was given a rush for the open was made people became wedged at the rear door so that it was impossible to open it Many persons were overcome by smoke and lay prostrate when the firemen arriv ed. Many others, unable to get out of their quarters, were overcome. All were rescued, no one being severely injured The property loss was small. This fire enth discovered in the building within the last few months.

#### DAILY DRINKS A NECESSITY.

So Court Holds in Reducing Order

for Altmony.

The Cuyahoga Common Pleas Court in Cleveland, in an order of Judge George H. Schwan, recognized a daily porson of whisky as a necessity to a man. John C. Hemmeter, notary public, several months ago was ordered to pay his wife \$5 a week alimony. He came into court seeking a reduction of alimony and made the plea that he did not have sufficient money left from his carnings of \$18 to \$20 a week, after deducting necessary expenses to pay the \$5. "I have included in the expenses 20 cents a day for whisky," he told the court. "It is necessary that I have a morning drink and another before I go to bed." He won a reduction of \$2

TRY WOMAN IN POISON DEATH

Prosecutors Sur Mrs. Morasch Sen

Candy Which Killed Child. The trial of Mrs. Sarah Morasch, 40 venus old accused of the inurder of 4 year-old Ruth Miller, began in the Dis-trict Court at Kansas City, Kan., Wed-nesday. The child died from the effects of enting poisoned candy intended for her 14-year-old stepsister. Ella Van-meter, which the prosecution asserts, was sent by Mrs. Morasch through the

Embessler Sent to Prison.

James Simpson, former paying teller of the Farmers and Mechanics' National Bank of Philadelphia, who was arrested last December charged with embezzling \$4,500 from the institution, pleaded guil-ty in the United States District Court. and was sentenced to five years' impris

Postmaster Routs Three Robbers. Postmaster David J. Smith of West Nyack, N. Y., attacked three burglars who had dynamited the postoffice safe and wounded one of the men so seriously that it is believed he will die. The others escaped. The wounded man is Edward Murphy, aged 38.

Hig Factory Is Burned.
The plant of the Fifield Tool Company makers of engine lathes and other ma-chinery, one of the largest of its kind in the country, was burned in Lowell. The loss is estimated at \$400,000, and is only partly covered by insurance.

Gains by Church Raffle Bernard Satsky, a Newark (N. J.) ex-pressman, won a 3-story dwelling house at a raffle held in the Anse Russlan Jewish temple with a dollar he offered to do nate to the church. The rabbi persunded him to use the dollar for a raffle ticket.

Anna Will Not Marry Again York and declares that she has had mough of matrimony and will not again

renture into wedded life.

BISHOP C. H. FOWLER DEAD.

Well Known Methodist Divise Passes Away in New York. Bishop Charles Henry Fowler of the Methodist Episcopal church dled Friday after a short illness at his hom West Seventy-second street, New who murdered Father Lee Heinrichs at the alter of St. Elizabeth's church in this city, whispered a black prophecy on the eve of his departure for the West. forty years and a bishop for twenty-four "Within six months you will hear of a murder that will shock the world," said he. When, over the wire, came the news of the assassination in Denver, the woman an atricken with terror, repeated the words of Alia. Father Eusebius, when in Paterson, whither he journeyed with the body of the martyred priest, was informed of the interview which Alia had with the woman and caused insuffers to cording to this report, he was at one time engaged to Miss Frances Willard, the tem rance advocate, but the engagement was broken at the bishop's suggestion because of the similarity of their temperaments Believing only that opposites should well, the two decided to end the betrothal. When a youth, studying for the ministry at a Methodist college, Bishop Fowler met Miss Willard. Both were Method-lsts, both were born leaders of men and women and were similar in temperament and views. They were seen much to-gther, and it is reported that they be-came engaged. In later years, Miss Willard practically configmed this report by acknowledging to friends that her heart at one time had known another. She said that at one time she were a ring and "acknowledged an allegiance on supposi

BURNED IN STOCKYARDS FIRE

Blaze Brenks Out in Electrical Supply-House of Transit Company.
Two firemen were overcome by smake burned slightly, and employes of sur-rounding packing houses were frightened and property valued at \$25,000 was destrayed in a fire which broke out in the electrical supply house of the Union Stock Yards and Transit Company, For-Stock Yards and Transit Company, cor-tieth street and Laurel avenue, in the center of the Chicago stock yards. The building was partly destroyed, and the flames threatened for a time to spread to heephouse No. 4, a four-story building adjoining on the south, and sevbuilding adjoining on the south, and several wooden runwings used for the conveyance of cattle from ears to the pens. E. A. Bull, superintendent of the surply house, said he believed the fire was the result of carelessness on the part of one of the employes, and declared that an investigation would follow. The blaze an investigation would follow. The blaze started in a pile of rubbish in the rear of the first floor, and was discovered by Superintendent Bull, who sent in an alarm to engine company 59, which is stationed in the center of the yards.

#### COAL PEACE AT HAND.

Danger of Prolonged Suspension of Mines in West Dispelled

Danger of a prolonged suspension of coal mining in the West passed Thursday with the adoption of the scale committee's report by the convention of the United Mine Workers in Indiannpolis. Chicago operators are greatly pleased with the sit-uation and say that it is probable there will be no suspension in Illinois on April. 1. which a few days ago seemed inevit-able. By the action of the convention each district is permitted to make a separate agreement based on the present mining scale. The miners are authorized to remain at work under the old conditions pending the making of a new con-tract, provided the operators are ready to open negotiations.

POTATO RAISERS IN "TRUST."

long Island Farmers Seek to Regu

Inte Sales in New York. As a result of a meeting held by several hundred Long Island farmers it is stated that an association for handling practically the entire potato output of the island. stimated at 5,000,000 bushels per annum will shortly be formed. Sentiment at the meeting was, it is stated, strongly for closer watch over the output on the part of the farmers, who say that as the grow ers have no means of keeping in touch ers have no means of keeping in con-with the markets most of the output is shipped to New York, thereby over-crowding the market and depressing

Minnesota Town in Ruins by Fire Reports indicate that the entire busi ness portion of the town of Braham, in Chicago county, Minn., was destroyed by fire, which started about 3 o'clock Wednesday morning. Assistance was asked from Minneapolis. The telephone ex-change was destroyed and as a result the loss of life.

Farm Help Badly Needed. So hadly do the farmers of Lapcaster county, Pa., require help on the farms that the Farmers' League of Lancaster county has issued an appeal to the unem-ployed of city and town to go to the coun-try for work, and an appeal has been sent to the bureau of labor and immigration at Washington asking that able-hadied immigrants be directed to that county.

Faithful Nurse Is Dead. Ann Hudson, for fifty years a nurse in the family of the Rev. Robert Shaw Howland, New York, died the other day.

She entered Dr. Howland's house when his first child was born and became so attached to the children to which she acted as nurse that nothing could induce her to leave them. She was 80 years old. Man Killed in Fight.

Wrestling in a dark hallway and fall ne headlong down three flights of stoirs John S. Baldwin, aged 35, and Edward Warden, aged 44, fought a desperate bat tle in the latter's home in Cincinnati and Warden is dead as the result. Raid win claims he acted in self-defense.

Many Arrests in Berlin. Forty-seven arrests were made in con-acction with the suffrage demonstration n Berlin. Nine policemen sustained in urles in encounters with the people. It is estimated that fifty of the manifest anta were wounded, but it is probable that many others were burt.

Big Alaskan Gold Strike.

Reports from Fairbanks, Alaska, say

Vault creek, on the Isabelle group of laims. Five pans picked at randon four feet of gravel yielded an average of \$11,70 to the pan. Substitutes Prison for Gallows. The Nebraska Supreme Court has con

muted the death sentence imposed on John G. Hamblin of Grand Island to life Hamblin killed Rachel mprisonment. Engel more than a year ago. The judge lecture Hamblin is mentally unbalanced Will Visit Japanezo Waters.

United States government has ac cepted the invitation of Japan and the American battleship fleet will make a visit to Japanese ports on its cruise to New York.

Former Chief Engineer Stevens Says Panama Canal Will Not Help.

John F. Stevens, a vice president of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, and a former chief engineer of the Punama canal, has issued a statement prophesying the undertaking, Mr. Stevens says that the canul will not help the United States in its trade with South Ameri-

PREDICTS A FAILURE.

en, as practically J. F. STEVENS. all of the luhabltants of the southern continent are on the east of the Andes, so that it would be of no advantage to make use of

the canal to reach them. Mr. Stevens also says that in our ommercial relations with the islands of the Pacific and Far East the canal will be of little value. Our coal and wheat centers are inland. Their products have to be started on their way by rail. When once loaded on cars would not be cheaper to ship to the Atlantic and then ship to the east by the way of the canal than it would be to send directly to the ports on our Pacific coast and then get on board Mr. Stevens believes that coal supply is fast diminishing and that China will be the coul country for the future. Siberia, he says, will be the wheat country of the future, with India a close second,

Mr. Stevens maintains that the Panama canal cannot hope to become anything other than an expense. It will not meet expenses and it will cost more than is expected. It will be an advantage, he says, to European countries, but not to us. The date of the finish ing of the canal he fixes as January 1915

The idea of the canal being of great value to us in times of warfare since our naval forces can be quickly from one coast to the other, he says, is utterly absurd. It would take days for the ships to get around, and during that time hostile shells could have don their work.

Church System Not Right. Rev. Dr. William N. Bocock, pastor of the First Reformed church of Bayof the First Reformed church of Bayonne, N. J. created no slight sensation
when he declared from his pulpit that
the doctrines and ecclesiastical system of
the church to-day were unsuited to the
needs of the twentieth contary; that the
doctrinal system of the church was a herdeclared to indicate the collapse of the steel rail
doctrinal system of the church was a heritage from the sixteenth century: that lowed by the statement that practically while it contained a soul of truth, the every railroad in the country has placed body was unsuited to these times. The tentutive orders for the estimated requirechurch, he said, was not founded upon a ment in steel rails for 1908. The aggre book, and referred to the story of Daniel in the lions' den, the opening of the Red last year, totaling in the neighborhood of Sea before the fleeing Israelites, etc., as 2,400,000 tons. figurative and very exaggerated language.

He said: "The prophets of the old time nois Central and the Central of Georgia sought the best means of conveying to the is now finished and soon the Harriminds of the sort of people then living the religious spirit, but the things that were vehicles of those days cannot be vehicles of those days cannot hat were vehicles of those days cannot his vehicles of to-day." He declared his distention of asking the authorities of the church for permission to preach the church for permission to preach the church for the next two years. While the class of the church for the next two years. While the class of the gradual resumption of the gradual resumption of older and more stald membership of Dr. Bocock's church are sgainst his opinions, it is said that many members of his floci are standing loyally by him, and a split in the society will probably ensue.

Convicted of Killing Fish.

Appealing from a conviction in the Deadwood justice court, L. D. Cuckler foreman at the Safe Investment Minin Company's mill on Box Elder creek, wa tried in the Circuit Court and found guilty of sluicing the cyanide tanks into the creek, killing many through the pollution of the stream.

New Record in Gunnery. Licut, John H. Ferguson, in charge of an 3-lach gun, engaged in target prac-tice at Magdalena Bay, has made the new record of 25 hits in 25 shots at the rate of 2.08 shots a minute.

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MILITARY SCHOOLS

Fashionable Pittsburg Congregation Forms Unique Club.

On a recent Sunday in the Second Presbyterian church, one of the most fashlonable in Pittsburg, was organ ized what is known as the Brenkfas Brotherhood Club. The organization consists of men and women culisted in good but certainly most original failure of the canal cause. Each Sunday morning before services breakfast will be served in the basement of the edifice to the poor and needy. Word was scattered, perhaps more as a joke than anything else, by omeone connected with the charch that there would be free breakfasts Sunday in the vestibule, served to all who were hungry. Two hundred people were asreason for the gathering he met the

sembled at the church door when the pastor, S. Edward Young, arrived. He was slightly disconcerted for a moment not having heard of the "breakfast movement," but when he learned the situation calmly and at once proceeded o make an assessment on those mem iers of the congregation who had already assembled. Food was quickly procured and coffee made, and the en ergetic pastor personally helped look ifter the wants of the hungry 200. pon thinking the subject over he and his people came to the conclusion that feeding the needy of Pittsburg every Sunday morning wouldn't be a hard or unpleasant task, and so the club was



railway companies, the Elgin Joliet and Eastern, the Grand Trunk Western, the Belt Railway Compa cago and Northwestern and the Michigan entral, have been found guilty in the United States District Court at Chicago of violating the safety appliance law, In two of the cases punishment was suspend of pending a motion for a new trial. In he other cases fines varying from \$100

in the order of the Pennsylvania railroad to fire up fifty freight locomotives on the Pittsburg division, which have been laid up on sidings for several months. The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engli neers has asked a general conference with seventeen Southern railroads regarding

the 10 per cent cut in wages to be mad

Evidence of the gradual resumption o

msiness and industrial activities is found

on March 1. The Pullman Company has maile checks, representing a total of \$175,000 to certain of its employes as an expression of its gratitude for courtesy to the traveling public in 1907. The check went to 1,153 conductors and 2,617 por ters, being one month's pay to each man These are all on the "roll of honor," Fivhundred and thirty-six conductors and 1,783 porters received no checks, system will be continued in 1908.

FIRE TRAPS EVERYWHERE.

Every Village and City Has Its Po-

tential Collinwood Tragedy. That New York city is full of fire traps and that every village and city possesses the possibilities of just such calamity as visited Collinwood. Ohio, is the opinion of Richard L. Humphrey. engineer in charge of the structura muterials laboratory of the United

States government. He says: "The shocking catastrophe at Collinwood did not result from exceptional conditions, but from conditions that are to be found in thousands of instances throughout the United States. The same or even worse firetraps prevail in every village and town and, indeed, in many of the large cities. Even where municipal laws are supposed to govern the erection of such structures the conditions are often worse than in Collinwood. The only surprise is that these catastrophes do not occur more fre-

quently. "The remedies for these conditions is not in elaborate systems for fighting fire or any elaborate fire drills, which may or may not be effectively carried out, but in the enactment of strict municipal laws compelling the erection of structures entirely fireproofed with materials of the highest quality, and especially in the prevention of the creetion of flimsy structures, where women and children gather in large number, as, for example, schools, theaters, hospitals and similar buildings. Unless such action is taken greater calamities than those at Collinwood and Boyertown, attended by even greater loss of life, will undoubtedly occur."

Lower Wages Inevitable.

Henry Clews, the New York banker and broker, addressing the Pittsburg chapter of the American Banking Institute, said that a general reduction of wages in all the great railway and other indus-tries had become absolutely necessary because still at the high figures to which they were pushed during the long period of prosperity. He said the labor unions should at once reduce their wage scales "and not wait until they are forced to yield." He pointed out that half a load is better than none, and urged that the workmen owed this cheerful acceptance of the cut as a duty to society at large Mr. Clews defended stock speculation or the exchanges, saying that it "is no more gambling than speculating in real estate He deplore or ordinary merchandisc. the recent attacks on Wall street, the financial center of the country, by both Roosevelt and Bryan.

Annex for Morgan's Bank

The First National bank of New York, he colossal institution, known as J. P. Morgan's financial power station, has ar ranged to organize what will be known as the First Security Company, to be financed with the bank's surplus funds and officered by the same men who direc the affairs of the bank. Heing organized under State laws, it will be free to do many things which are unlawful for the bank chartered under federal laws, Here after the bank will be confined strictly to the business of banking, and leave the syndicating and speculating to the subsi-diary. State organization. Capital for the trust company will be provided by declaring a dividend of 100 per cent on the bank's \$10,000,000 capital.

Concrete Roadwalk Begun Atlantic City has witnessed the beof replacing the famous board waz with concrete promenade.

A Cure for X-Ray Victims. Dr. Hall Edwards of Birmingham, wh

for many years has been a victim of a cancerous ulcer caused by exposure to the X-rays, believes he has discovered a recessful treatment. He insists that the brief exposure to the rays that patients undergo is harmless and contends that an pperator can make himself immune fron baneful effects of the rays by wearing steel gauntlets lined with rubber and an steel gauntlets line apron-coated with lead.

A Pittsburg judge has decided that a A Pittsburg judge has decided that a own poskers to a isom quarters, accounted teacher may clustice an unruly pupil blie hire and using expenses while in



CHICAGO

Trade conditions in Chicago for the week are summarized by R. G. Dun & Co. as follows:

"Seasonable conditions have imparted more hopeful tone to industry, and new lemands make an improving exhibit in fron, steel, metal and woodworking, there being also steady additions to the ma-chinery and hands employed. Building operations and heavy construction open promptly, the work in sight assuring a busy year, with heavy capital investment, and the outlook strengthens the buying of structural needs, lumber and quarry products. Navigation between near-by lake ports is effected, thereby widening the general movement of freight, which aggregates heavier toning by rail than a mouth ago, although marketing of grain has slackened. Furm reports indicate widespread preparatory work and im-

"A healthy indication of the improvenent under way is a better offering of commercial paper and an easier tendency in the cost of money. Currency slip-ments to the interior have fallen behind those at this time last year, but larger sums are being reserved for use in man-ufacturing and other property extensions, while savings deposits are on the upturn. Few commodities disclose any significant decline in prices lecline in prices.

"Mercantile collections generally reflect increasing promptness, and credits are less disturbed by the lower commercial mortality this week. Retail trade pro-gresses encouragingly, and is relatively very good at outside points, where higher temperatures have prevailed. Wholesale dealings in the principal staples include very satisfactory gain in the number of new accounts, and the aggregate sales of textiles, footwear, men and women's wear, food products and hardware com-pare favorably with a year ago, although many buyers anticipated forward require ments more conservatively.

Failures reported in the Chicago district number 32, against 30 last week and 20 a year, ago. Those with liabilitics over \$5,000 number 10, against 11 last week and 6 in 1907."

NEW YORK.

Improvement in sentiment and in actual demand continues, but it proceeds under the check rein of conservatism, which limits buying to small lots of staple goods. Spring jobbing trade has apparently passed its zenith with a total trade larger perhaps than was expected some months ago, but smaller by far than a year ago. Fall trade is four to six n year ago. Fan trade is four to six weeks late in opening up. As hitherto, the chief activity has been in dry goods and allied lines, especially militury, which, so far as spring trade preparations are concerned, makes relatively one of the best showings. In Industrial lines there is a good deal of irregularity. About \$0.000 mill hands in New Fonders! 80,000 mill hands in New England have had wages reduced in the past ten days, and production is only 65 to 75 per cent of the full possible output. The reduc tion in output in all textile lines has been so great as to cause question as to its being overdone. As regards the fu ture, it might be said that while the out-look is hopeful, prospects seem to indi-cate a fluctuating trade in forthcoming months, or at least until probable crop yields can be pretty well measured.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending March 19 number 208, against 278 last week, 137 in the like week of 1907, 170 in 1906, 204 in 1905 and 215 in 1904. Canadian fail-ures for the week number 39, as against 31 last week and 32 in this week a year



Chicago—Cattle, common to prime, \$4.00 to \$6.65; hogs, prime heavy, \$4.00 to \$5.00; sheep, fair to choice, \$3.00 to \$6.25; wheat, No. 2, 94c to 96c; 53c to 54c; rye, No. 2, 80c to 81c; hay, timothy, 80,50 to \$16,00; prairie, \$8,00 to \$16,00; butter, choice creamery, 25c to 29c; eggs, fresh, 14c to 17c; potators, per bushel, 63c to 74c.

Indianapolis-Cattle, shipping, \$3.00 to \$6,25; hogs, good to choice heavy, \$3,50 to \$4,95; sheep, common to prime, \$3.00 to \$5.00; wheat, No. 2, fale to 07e; corn, No. 2 white, 62c to 63e; oats, No. 2 white, 53c to 54c,

St. Louis—Cattle, \$4.50 to \$0.40; hogs, \$4.00 to \$4.60; sheep, \$3.00 to \$5.50; which, No. 2, \$1.00 to \$1.02; corn, No. 2, 63c to 64c; oats. No. 2, 52c to 55c; rys, o. 2. 83e to 84e.

Cincinnati—Cattle, \$4,00 to \$5.85; hors, \$4,00 to \$5.05; sheep, \$3,00 to \$5.50; wheat, No. 2, \$1.01 to \$1.02; corn, No. 2 mixed, 65e to 60ke; oats, No. 2 mixed, 55e to 54e) rye, No. 2, 85e to 87c. Detroit—Cuttle, \$4.00 to \$5.00;; hogs, \$4.00 to \$4.05; sheep, \$2.50 to \$7.00; wheat, No. 2, but to bsc; corn. No. 3 rellow, 65c to 67c; onts. No. 3 white,

3e to 55c; rye, No. 2, 84c to 85c. Milwankee—Wheat, No. 2 northern, \$1.07 to \$1.09; corn. No. 3, 63c to 64c; cats, standard, 53c to 54c; rye, No. 1, 80e to 81c; barley, No. 2, 80e to 10c; pork, mess, \$11.90.

Buffalo—Cattle, choice shipping steers, \$1.00 to \$6:10; hogs, fair to choice, \$3,50 to \$5,35; sheep, common to good mixed, \$4,00 to \$5,50; lambs, fair to choice, \$5,00 to \$8,35.

\$5.00 to \$8.35. New York—Cattle, \$4.00 to \$5.05; hogs, \$3.50 to \$5.00; sheep, \$3.00 to \$5.50; wheat, No. 2 red, 90c to \$1.01; corn. No. 2, 68c to 70c; onts, intural white, 57c to 60c; butter, creamery, 25c 27c; eggs, western, 18c to 15c. Toledo-Wheat, No. 2 mixed, 95c to

oats, No. 2 mixed, 63e to 65e; oats, No. 2 mixed, 53e to 55e; rye. No. 2, 81e to 85e; clover seed, prime, \$12.00.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

Carshops at McArthur, Ohio, burned, Loss \$25,000.

In the burning of the San Francisco almshouse three inmates lest their lives. The Ohio House passed bills abolishing the boards of public service and the boards of public safety in numer public safety

Abraham Ruef of San Francisco walk and Judge Dunne and athers for \$4,174, the amount he aftered he paid out or his charge of Eliza Rigey.

Good feed all the year improves good

Let the sheep do their own grinding When it comes to feeding outs.

Ringhoues on horses are often caused

by letting the toes grow too long. Buttermilk saved from the last churning makes a good starter for the cream for the next churning.

The best way to make the farm profitable is to keep animals and soil in healthy, vigorous condition,

Five million dollars have recently been spent in Australia on fencing to keep the rabbits from agricultural land

There is one crop which is produced in a weedy field that most people fail to take into account. This is a crop of rabbits.

for getting ideas for next seaso Do lots of reading, lots of thinking lots of planning. If you did not have a garden las

The winter time is the busy season

begin to plan for one this year, and if you had one last year, plan for a better one this year. The prospect is that hogs will grow

into money fast again for at least another year. It may be doubted whether they will ever go very low again.

Ever know a farmer to buy a poor cow because she was cheap and keep her many years and think he had se cured a bargain? Many a man is penny wise and pound foolish when it come to the cow deal.

Half the had habits of horses may be laid at the door of the men who handle them. I have seen a mare cured of pulling at the halter just by the change of master. Kindness always brings the best kind of returns.

If there is not a gool balance struck between the feed bucket and the milk better serve notice on your cow that her room is better than her company. Get rid of the unprofitable

Perhaps a little carpenter workfust such as most any farmer can dowill add considerably to the comfort of the cow stable the pig pen or the hen house. Better attend to it now before severe weather sets in.

Do you know whether your hogs are getting heavier or not? Don't guess at Have some scales and drive them on them once in a while so that you can know about it. That's the way to find out whether your money is counting or

Here is a good idea for the hog breeder: Put a peck of sand in tight bags and sew up, then if the sows farrow on cold or wet days you can put the chilled pigs into a blanket lined basket on the sand bag which has been previously heated in the kitchen even. The little pigs soon dry off in

A person in the country never real izes how smoky the city is until he perchance spends a day or two there. The dense atmosphere of the metropolis always recalls the story of the English who lived in a certain seapor that was extremely foggy, and once in shingling a house the fog was so dense he shingled right over the neak on into

According to the most recent returns there are in Switzerland about a quar- that were used, whereby a dairyman every twelve inhabitants. The yield \$2,150 from a ninety-six-acre dairy of a scientifically constructed frame farm. The owner of this farm, Charles hire often reaches 100 pounds of honey Foss, began dairying in 1909. His cows per season. The yield from a "skep," or the first year averaged about 170 old-fashioned straw hive, is much smaller. The honey harvest may be taken at some four pounds per head of the resident population.

Prof. Wiley of the agricultural department declares enough cornstalks no to waste in this country from which alcohol could be made sufficient to drive all the machinery of our factories besides furnishing the requisite power for all the railroads and steam boats of the country, run all the automobiles, light and heat all our house and furnish light for the streets of every city in the union. Will ever an economical method of saving this enormous waste be devised?

A Windbrenk A windbreak consists of one or tv rows of trees planted primarily for the purpose of checking the force of the wind. The term "shelter belt" is applied to larger groups of trees which form forest conditions and serve protective purpose. Any species which adapted to the region may be used for windbreaks. Where evergreens will succeed, however, they are more desirable, since they afford better winter protection than deciduous trees. A windbreak consisting of a single row should be composed of a densely grow ing species, with branches close to the

#### Industry of Bees.

amount of work and travel necessary clover honey bees must deprive 42 000 t clover blossoms of their nectar, and to to this requires 2,750,000 cinits to the make I pound of honey must go from Mys to flower and back 2,750,000 times. Then, when you think how far these hose pometimes by in search of these

I clover fields, oftener than not one of two miles from the hive, you will be gin to get a small luen of the number of miles one of the industrious little creatures must travel in order that you may have the pound of honey.

Species of Aldiaria. There are about eight species of alfilaria growing in the United States. three being native to the Pacific const The most valuable and the region. one that has made such progress on the ranges is the red stemmed alfilaria (Erodium cicutarium). This species is a hairy, slightly viscid, erect or ascending herbaceous winter annual from six to eight inches high. Its flowers are Illac or purple, and the plant poses generally a pronounced musky odor. During the winter it forms a compact, many leaved rosette from the to twelve inches in diameter, which the stems are thrown up during

#### the spring months. Alfalfa Yields.

In co-operative tests with farmers at the Maryland Experiment Station the reports received show vields rengine from two and a quarter to seven ton er acre. One farmer renorted a vield of five tons per acre on a field of sixtysix acres seeded twelve years ago. The results of inoculation tests showed the alue of using alfalfa and sweet clover soil for this purpose.

Of the farmers reporting 122 had good stands at the time of making their reports, while thirty-six had been unenconseful. Of the successful nap ties ninety-one used manure, sixty-six lime, fifty-seven commercial fertilizer, thirty-nine commercial fertilizer and line, fifty-two manure and lime, thirtythree manure and lime and commercia fertilizer, seven a nurse crop, forty-one soil inoculation, and eighty-two seeded

Care of the Young Calf.
When a young calf is taken from its

am, there is more or less difficulty in raising it. Some mistakes are usually made, the result being scours. The natural food of the calf is fresh, warm milk, and the milk given it after it is parted from the cow should also be fresh and warm. If skim milk is used there will be a lack of cream, which is important, so far as the welfare of the calf is concerned. One who has been successful adds a raw egg, well shaken, with the milk, at each meal, Flaxseed meal, cooked until a jelly is formed, may be used with the milk or gill at each meal being sufficient at first. Do not overfeed, but give a little milk at a time and often, at a temperature of 95 degrees.

Average Must Be Raised.

Professor P. G. Holden in his A B C of Corn Culture, says that while the average yield of corn in the United States is less than twenty-five bushels per acre, yet there are hundreds and thousands of farmers who produce sixty and seventy, and often eighty and ninety bushels per acre. "I have in he says, "scores of instance where of two fields, just across the road from each other, or perhaps adfoining, but on different farms, one Jielded more than seventy bushels and the other less than twenty, yet the land values were the same and the labor required to produce the twenty bushel crop as great as to produce the eventy-bushel crop. If one man can produce sixty and seventy bushels per cre, the other man can do it also, and not only that but must do it if we are to achieve our agricultural possibili-

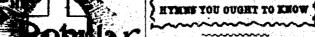
Test your corn carefully, and if it is found defective send away at once for a supply, but test that also.

Large Earnings of a Small Farm The dairy department of the Illinois Experiment Station has recently published a bulletin giving the methods n lilinois realized a gross income of pounds of butter fat. The first four years he received an average annual income of \$400 from his cows, \$300 from his hogs and \$200 from his grain.

Last year his income from the same farm was \$600 for hogs, \$1,150 from his dairy and enough from other ources to run his gross income up to \$2,150. Three years ago Mr. Foss started out to follow the advice given by the dairy department of the Hilnois station, and as a result his fourteen cows that year averaged 5,800 pounds of milk, containing 224 pounds of butter fat, while the following year the fourteen cows averaged 7.100 counds of milk, containing 250 pounds of butter fat; the third year the same ows, during 1900, averaged 8,057 pounds of milk, containing 307 pounds

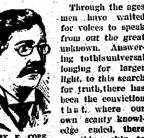
butter fat per cow. The increase in the yield of milk was due largely to the better feeding meth ods employed, and especially to the fact that slinge was fed during, the winter and solling crops were provided for use during the summer drought, thus preventing a reduction of the mile By weighing and testing the milk. Mr. Foss was able to sell the low producers and by the use of the silo e was able to balance his ration with-

out greatly increasing the cost. Three hundred and seven pounds of butter fat means 358 pounds of butter. This means an income of \$89.50 per cow when butter sells at an average When you cat a spoonful of honey of 25 cents per pound. It is pointed you have very little notion as to the out in the bulletin referred to that a herd of twenty-five or more cows could to produce it. To make a pound of easily be kept on the same income would amount to \$2.864 Adding to this the value of the hogs and other products produced on the farm, the blossoms by the bees. In other words, tal income would be \$3,714 from the to collect enough nectar to ninety-six acres, or \$38.86 per acre. A pure-bred sire is being used in this berd, the idea being to keep up the number by raising heifer calves from



THE VOICE DIVINE.

By Henry F. Cope. "God, who at sunder times and in divers manners spake in time past un the fathers by the prophets."-Heb. L. 1.



that, where our own scanty knowledge ended, there HENBY F. COPE something akin to revelation would give us light. We bave been listening for voices that

would speak with an authority trans-

conding that given to our fellows. Cold reason may nock at revolation, but the soul struggling in darkness, balled by its problems, lost in the night, still looks up and hopes. For what awaits us but despair it the mys teries of the universe are forever seal ed, our questions forever unanswered and no higher appeal to be known than that to our own selfish interests? 't is not strange that men have heeded those who, though often mistaken or but im postors, have cried, Thus saith the

Lord!" It would be strange if in a world of spirits there might be no communica-tion of spirit. If the fairest thought of our ern is that which was given us when man was taught to think of the oninipotent as father, it would be strange if there should be no way by which such a father might speak to his children. Such a world would contra-philosopher of wisdom, the broaddict all our best instincts. Such a world would mean that man was better than his maker.

The divine voice speaks, but we too often listen in the wrong direction. It falls not from the skies; it comes not ogy. There is a vast amount of differin strauge, unusual ways of visious and portents. But it is ever speaking through the things of daily life; it is ever revealing truth and beauty to the inner car, for it comes not from without but springs up within; heard by the heart rather than by the ear.

The best things have not dropped down; they have grown up. Life is not from without, but from within. God speaks not in thunders, but in the hopes and the longings of hearts. Even the voice we hear in the sighings of before it means aught to us.

The ten commandments owe their force not to any writing on stone but to their writing on our hearts; to them the soul of man nuswers affirmatively. The only moral code we can follow is that which speaks with the authority of a conscience convicted. That does not mean that man is his own God nor that he knows no law higher than himself; it does mean that by the laws of spiritual development the law is belug written on every beart.

Every real revelation is a divine revwe thought the scientist the enemy of religion; now we know that whenever science lays bare one of the facts of the universe we do but look on what the finger of the Infinite has written. When religion fights truth simply because truth speaks an unfamiliar tongue or falls to respect her traditions, she is fighting against God him-

Our need is not some strange, awe inspiring voice that shall break the silence of the midnight sky; our need is an ear trained to hear, a spirit to understand and reverence the sublime plees that are ever speaking in on world, the voices of the beauty of nature, the low of living, the stories of everyday divine heroism, the forces that are making a new world to-day as truly as ever one was made long

The life of our day has not less of the divine than the life of long ago; but the message is harder to read; it is for an educated race; it is spiritual rather than merely material; it is from within; it is found in every good impulse, in every outgoing sympathy. in the kindling of eye as friend greets friend, in the good that men are doing, in the toleration that is becoming wider, the love stronger between man and man.

God speaks to men now as ile snok to Moses or to David, though the manner may have changed. But the poor in spirit, those with whom pride of the past has not served to make them unwilling to learn, these hear the voice: the pure in heart see Him: the seekers after truth find Him, and to all He comes in the thrilling moment or in the quiet hour when the voice of the heart makes itself heard,

#### INTEGRITY A STIMULANT.

By Rev. Robert P. Kreitler. What seest thou? And I said a

lumb-line .-- Amos vil., 8. In the prime of his life there was granted the Prophet Amos a vision of a symbolic picture. He saw a master the builder did not attract his attention so much as the implement with which the wall was being tested. Used to determine whether the wall was true or not, it suggested a process by which the characters and lives of men

were to be tested. There is hardly a part of life without its visions, but the vision that counts is that which gives us enough of truth and righteousnes to inspire our mes. There is nothing which stimulates to nobler notion more than a vision of enterrity Affection, renius, intellect anaptre men, for they give visions of life. But they count for often framed husthing wishous integrity at the bot- our own lives.

## HYMME YOU OUGHT TO KNOW

Invitation,

Come unto Me, when shadows durkly 

tressed, Seeking for comfort from your heavenly l'ather, Come unto me, and I will give you rest.

Large are the mansions in thy Father's dwelling, Glad are the homes that sorrows never

dim: Sweet are the harps in holy music swell-Soft are the tones which raise the heavenly bymn.

There, like an Eden blossoming in gladnext, Bloom the fair flowers the earth too rudely pressed; Come unto Me, all ye who droop in sad-

Come unto me, and I will give you rest. tom. It is at the basis of life, indiidually and collectively.

Uprightness of character will outveigh ability and a clean life overbalances brains. There never was a time when there was greater need than at present to bring down close to the life of the average man the vision of integrity in action. The distressing discoveries that have revealed the lack of it in all walks of life have simply shown that too many of us are con erned with the husk, not the kernel Character itself may well be regarded as a wall, for there is a kind of masonry which we must test by the nlumi of lutegrity. Analyze character we find it is the one great silent force which moves through the avenues of thought, feeling and action, until it shows others just what may be expected of us. Only one force reigns supreme in that character and keen obervers can tell at a glance what that force is. To use our analogy, there is but one style of architecture influence ing our character wall; the sensual man is building on bestial lines, the miser on those of money-getting, the minded, spiritual man on those of integrity and uprightness. And so it

There is another point in the anal ent materials being incorporated into our buildings. Earth, lime, stone brick, wood and iron. But each must be tested by some standard of correctness before it is permitted a place. So in life. Our character wall must not have embodied in it anything but what will stand the highest test. In our use of the mental, moral, muscular, politi cal and religious material heaper about us we must apply the test that will best help to produce a noble re suit.

As we build, conrage comes from the wind or the message we read in the prosale fact that we can do only a the rays of setting sun must be in us little day by day. Stone upon stone tier upon tier, is the old, old inw. The form, style and expression of life being slowly turned into character, we test each day's work as we look toward a finished result. It is antiquated, but still true, that we do not become a devil or a saint in a day. We as we grow into something different from all others, must constantly measure ourselves by the standards our vis ions have granted us.

It is a miserably sad thing to have the one opportunity of life come to us. an opportunity wherein we might show Every real revelation is a divine revelation, since all truth is divine. Once awaken to the fact that slowly acts have become habits, habits character. and we are unable to live up to the opportunity.

It is a serious thing if we personally fall, but still more serious if we kill consciously the visions of integrity in others. In that sense we become for the ancient Greeks holloved the "homo" stood for the crea ture capable of aspiration and imagin-

#### SHORT METER SERMONS.

There is no ministry like that of manhood.

The fruitful life does not soon be come seedy.

Oily phrases heal none of the world's When humanity meets trouble it re

reals its divinity. No man saves himself by running

away from the lost.

It takes more than lumber and glue to make the tree of life.

People who are always crowing are often chicken hearted.

The fact that Nonh is your uncle will ot keep you dry shod.

You do not need to chew the bake tins to get the bread of life.

Many a preacher measures his power by the noise of his exhaust. The minister who has money in his

ere will never be able to see men. This world can bear almost any sor row if it will but kill out our selfish-

It's the religion you wear rather than the religion you are that soon wears out.

It will take more than dreams of caven to make this world a paradise for men. Some folks think it an act of charity

o get thelp old rags entried away for nothing. The largest rooms of destiny may be entered through the smallest doors of

Great thoughts are those that g deep enough to take root and bear fruit in lives.

When a man tries to hide his religion he is wasting time covering up an invisibility.

There is nothing imaginary about the weakness that results from worry over imaginary ills. A man's place in the heavenly race

will depend much on his relation to the human race. The laws we make for others are

## Michigan State News

"DEAD" FATHER WILL RETURN. Michigan Man Deserted Family After the Civil War,

A stronge reunion will take place April 1, when Frank Sherman, formerly of Cooper, new in London, Ont., will return home to see his children after practically forty-eight years of absence. Bherman culisted at the first call for volunteers in the Civil Wur, leaving a wife and two children. He was mustered out in 1805, came home for one night, and then dis-appeared. He was not seen then until twenty-five years ago, when he appeared again, but departed two days later, and it was thought he was dead. Recently he wrote to the Roy, R. S. MacGregor of the Methodist church, asking about his fam-ily. He was informed that his wife died twenty-three years ago, and that his two daughters were married. They are Mrs as Walker of Kalamazo Frank Brown of Grand Rapids. A few days ago another letter was received, announcing Sherman's intention to come to Kalamazoo April 1, and also regretting the fact that he had deserted his family. He has been employed by the Canadian Pacific railread as conductor. He intends to do all in his power to make restitution for his past conduct he was titution for his past conduct, he says.

### TWO TARE LIVES; ONE PAILS.

Hastings and Adrian Men Drink

Poison -- Woman Hangs. Rudolph Larsen, a Swede, 20 years old self in Hastings by taking phine. Several persons saw him swa the poison, but thought he was taking medicine. The young man's home was at St. Elmo, Ill., where he had a mother and brothers and sisters. Orville Wise 60 years old, residing south of Cadmus died as the result of taking a dose o chloroform and laudanum. He leaves widow and three children. Mourning the loss of her husband who died a year ago.
Mrs. Thomas Vegtor, a pioneer resident
of Kalamazoo, became suddenly and violently insome at 2 o'clock in the morning She left her bed and picking up a scu tle filled with coal hurled it through window. Officers were called and locked her up. At the jail Mrs. Vegtor attempted to commit suicide by using her hair ribbons for a rope. She was found un-conscious, hanging from a bar in a win-dow but was realized.

#### JAIL TERM REPORMS SALOONIST Violator of Sunday Law Says He

After serving thirty days in the county jail for violating the Sunday liquor law. Daniel Canway, one of the seventeen saoonkeepers sentenced by the judges of St. Clair county, was given his liberty the other afternoon. Conway, who is proprietor of the "Happy Home" sa-loon in Port Huron, notified his daugh-ter to get the best "spread" ready that money could buy and he invited Sheriff Davidson to help him partake of it. At the dinner, to which Conway had invited all his friends, the saloonkeeper said: "Gentlemen, that thirty days in jail did me a lot of good. I have got all the alco-hol out of my system now, and I'm going to be a tectotaler from now on. I thank e has made a man of me

#### SAYS GIRL IS AN ANARCHIST.

Ex-Soldier Makes Novel Defense in Breach of Promise Suit.

"I couldn't marry her because she is an anarchist," declared Alex. Goldman on the witness stand in Detroit, defending the \$10,000 breach of promise suit of Mary Dubnov. "After we were en-gaged I often heard her say this country is not civilized, because some people have fine homes and luxury and others live in nisery and that governments have no right to exist. I fought in the Philippine for my country and my brother was kill-ed there and I never could live with any-one who believes as Mary does." Goldman has married another girl since he broke off the engagement with Miss Dub

#### WHO IS RESPONSIBLE?

Battle Creek Wants to Know Why

unit of the r efition of Battle Creek's 1904 flood, with interest, an investigation is now being undertaken to termine the exact circumstances unde which anti-flood legislation for Battle Creek was killed in the State Legisla ture. It has been popular to lay it on to Representative James Henry, but this official comes back now with proofs to in dicate that the common council was to blame. In fact, it is asserted that in blame. In fact, it is asserted that in-fluence was used and this fact is liable to be publicly brought out.

#### THREE MEN THROUGH ICE. Team Crossing St. Mary's River I Drowned.

Ice in St. Mary's river at Soult Ste Marie is becoming unsafe, two persons narrowly escaping death the other day, William Reich, while crossing the river with a team, broke through. The teat with a team, prose through. The team and rig were lost, but Reich was rescued by persons who saw the accident. George Blair, a business man, went into the water, but succeeded in getting out after struggle.

#### SAVES TEAM; HANDS FROZEN.

Oceana County Blan Holds Horses Heads When Ice Breat Charles Greening of New Era had both team of horses from drowning. He was hauling ice across a small lake when the horses broke through the rotten ice. Greening secured a foothold on the lee and tried to hold the horses' heads abou water and his hands were frozen so they will have to be amputated above the

#### "CAN'T KILL OLD SOLDIER."

W. C. Hall, 70 Years Old, Struck by a Train and Escapes.

"You can't kill an old soldier," remarked William C. Holl of Lacey, as he came out from under treatment for his hurts. Hull, 50 years old, was struck by a Grand Trank freight train on Fountain street, Battle Creek, and thrown into the ditch. Here the police found him, with a gashed head and many bruises. If soon came to his senses and chatted pleas The laws we make for others are antly as Dr. MacGregor sewed up the gapoten framed by the plans and loves of ing wound.

#### STUDENTS IN BIG MIOT.

Ann Arber Mayor Sake Militle to Quell Mob.

Mayor Heinlerson of Ann Arbor Sent call to the State militia the other right when a mob of 2,000 students wrecked two buildings, defied the police and fire departments and refused to listen to the appeals of President Angell and Dean Hutchins. Chief Apfel of the po-lice force was knocked down and rolled on the sidewalk, the fire department hosewas uncompled and 100 feet of it stoler and all the windows in the Star theater, a nickeledium, and the Hoppe saloon next door were smushed. The students rolled the theater plane into the street and danced on it. They threw the res of the furniture out of the windows Twenty-two students were placed under arrest and locked up in the juit. The trouble started when a student persisted in giving the university yell. He was ejected from the theater, and House Offi-cer Schlimmer clubbed him when out on the walk. The students swore yeugeance.

#### BETURNS AS A CATHOLIC.

Enfaconal Priest Joins Roman

Church in Manistee Returning as a Roman Catholic priess to Manistee, where for several years be held the rectorate of the Protestant Eule copal church, Rev. Ernest Willoughby Jewell sang his first solemn mass March 24. Rev. Jewell, who will now be named Father Edward Joseph Jewell, received the minor orders of the priesthood at Grand Rapids, and was ordained a priest His first charge will be at Manistee. It is said that about fifteen of his former parishioners will follow him to the Ro-man Catholic church. Before he left the Episcopal church in 1905, Rev. Jewell, who is a widower with three children held rectorates at Petoskey, Calumet and Manistee, being known as an extreme

#### IMMATURE TROUT SEIZED.

Game Warden Makes Haul to the

Talue of Over \$1,000. Several more Menchannee fishermen who have been disregarding the game laws had their possessions practically wiped out when Game Warden Bedell. with assistants, seized eighty-seven 200-foot gill nets that were set in 35 fathoms of water. The value of the confis cated nets is almost \$100 and the warder seized 600 pounds of immature troughtich brings the value of the haul to seized 600 pounds of immature over \$1,000. So heavy was the ponder-ous load of fish and nets that one of the sleighs in which half of the haul was bundled broke down on the ice while be ing hauled Menomineeward by the war-

#### DEATH ROBS DESTITUTE PAIR.

Child Dies While Parents Are Seek

After being put out of their home at 457 Erie street. Chicago, it is alleged. Mr. and Mrs. John Olson and their two small children started for Mrs. Olson's old ing Aid home at Carp Lake. Before the train reached Cadillac the older child was taken ill and it was so bad, the passengers allege, the conductor put the little family off the train. The passengers took up a collection to pay for a doctor, but the child died before he could send it to a Utterly destitute, the mothe sat in the depot with the dead child in her arms until the Sisters of Mercy cared for the family

#### THREE RISK LIVES; SAVE DOG.

Men Rescue Animal from Ice Cake in Lake Michigan. Struggling for eight hours through a mile of ice cakes, Charles Snyder, Ed-ward Spring and Robert Jervies of Whitehall risked their lives to save a collie dog

that had been moreoned for three days in Lake Michigan off White Lake har bor. The dog's feet were swollen and frozen to the ice, but it gave a gleeful bark as the rescuing party appeared. The animal was worn to a skeleton.

Glasier Gives \$17,000 Bond Former State Treasurer Frank I'. Gla-zier, who was indicted several weeks ago by the Incham county grand jury on the large of misfeasance and malfeasance in office and embezzlement of the State funds, has been admitted to \$17,000 ball by Supreme Court Justice Grant. Jus-tice Grant came from Lausing to Chel-sen to necept his ball because of Glazier's physical inability to make the jour ney to Mason for arraignment.

Maskeron Puts Ban on Frats. At a meeting of the Muskegon school oard all high school secret organizations were ordered to be abolished. Three fraternities and two sororities will be obligd to give up their charters. The board held that secret organizations are a menace to democratic school life. Represen-tatives of all fraternities and sororlies met later and decided to fight in court the action of the board.

Will Wed After Thisty Years. After thirty years of waiting, during which time she married another, Mrs. L. M. Clark of Muskegon will wed Owen Mulholland, a gold mine owner of Se-attle, Wash. who disappeared when he went West in search of gold.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF. William Fraser, target man at Flor ence, was found dead at the base of his

Alice Hollis of Port Huron is reported to have been cured of blindness of thirty years' standing by a European specialist. Charles II. Washburn's 2-year-old daughter is dead in Owosso after eating heads of eighteen matches.

Chief of Police Farrington of Battle Creek received a letter threatening his life. It was signed "Committee of Black Hand. Albert Barker and John Maracong, in

mates of the Grand Rapids soldiers home, were nearly drowned in mud in a pig pen at the home. Their wagon slipped down an embankment. The Munising Paper Co. of Munising

has increased its capacity from 60 tons

of wrapping paper a day to 70 tons. The new machine cost \$25,000 and the plant will give employment to a dozen addi-John Santica, whose home is in Stone

City, Iowa, jumped through the window of a Wobash passenger coach while the train was near Sand Creek. Section men found him later nearly dead. He said he jumped to escape enemies. Thomas Jean, who reveral days ago at-

tempted saicide by cutting his throat with a rayer, died in Mercy hospital Bay Circ. from exhausition. Jean had lost a great stea, of blood and in subsequent attempts to rear open the wound Jean had lost a little more Ilia insane struggling however, gradually exhausted him. Jean was 73 years old and left a widow and several children



1629—Third parliament of Charles 1. dis-

1680-First Assembly of New Humpshire

1689—Habean corpus act suspended for the first time in England ... Jan II. landed in Ireland.

ish dally newspaper, issued in London.

776—English soldiers plundered Boston .... Americans bombarded the Brit-ish in Boston. 1784-Blanchard, the aeronaut, made his

first ascent from Paris in a hydro 1785-John McLean, associate justice of the United States Supreme Court,

opinion in the Dred Scot decision, born in New Jersey. 1701—Napoleon Bonaparte married to Josephine Beauharnais....British

1797-Albany became the capital of the

1805-Jacob Crowninshield of Mass became Secretary of the chusetts became So United States navy.

1815-Kingdom of the Netherlands con-

claimed King. 825-Pasturing cows on Boston com mon forbidden

1836—Texas proclaimed her independence of Mexico. 1848—Louis Philippe escaped from France to England.

\$63-Albert Edward, Prince of Wales, married to Princess Alexandra of

805-Parliament at Quebec adopted the

confederation scheme. 1807—Mexico evacuated by the French
....Attempted assassination of King
Victor Emanuel at Milan...President Johnson vetoed the tenure of office and military district bills,

1870-First woman jury in America assembled in Wyoming.

1877-William M. Evarts appointed Secretary of State.

886-Anti-Chinese convention held in California.

1892-Business suspended in the northwest by a blizzard. 1895-Spanish battleship Reine Regenta

railway of England.

1001-1 zar issued a decree granting religious freedom in Russia

### tleship Jena killed 117 persons.

NUBBINS OF FARM NEWS. Farming in New Mexico has been given n great impetus during the past few years by the work of the farmers instimos and many unproductive values have

Frank Donnelly of the town of Oak Grove, Barron county, Wis., was bitten four weeks ago by a vicious boar, and blood poisoning set in, from the effects of which he died after three weeks of suf-

ont a few of them are from the Sisseton A movement has been started for the

Prof. Shepperd recently shipped to Russia samples of North Dakota corn for the purpose of aiding corn growing in that country. The Russian experiment stations are doing the same thing as our

Because of the heavy demand for prison twine the warden of the Minnes State prison has been authorized to work the prisoners overtime for three hours each day, allowing each man who works 25 cents for the three hours. The supply of twine now on hand has already

At a meeting in Slowy Falls the independent elevator men of South I aketa organized what is known as the Farmers' Grain Dealers' Association of South De

About 2300 deligates attended the preciag of the Farmers Gran Dealers' Association at Fort Dodge, Iqua, where coblems connected with the business were discussed Old officers were re-elected.

union iast fall and put up prices, but in some places the farmers balled and turned their pigs into their corn fields. This broke up the union and prices now range

eraft. . 1024—England declared war on Spain.

solved.

· met at Portsmouth.

1702—The Daily Courant, the first Brit-

who dissented from the majority

Parliament passed Irish insurrection

1790 - Napoleon laid unsuccessful siege to

811-The "Luddite riots," resulting from a depression in the hoslery trade, began in Nottinghamshire, England, and continued for several years.

stituted, and William of Orange pro-

822-President Jackson signed the tariff

856-Nicoragua declared war against Costa Rica.

4 Denmark. 1861-Clysses S. Grant appointed lieu-

which Congress passed over his veto.

1875-Moody and Sankey opened their great revival meetings in London.

1891-England and France connected by telephone.

supposed to have foundered with loss of her entire crew of 400 men. 1899-Opening of the Great Central

1907-An explosion on the French bat-

seen turned into rich grain and fruit

fering. Forty young Indians have been received at the government Indian agricultural school at Wahpeton, N. D. Most of the young students are from Fort Berthold,

organization of the various farmer ele-vator companies in South Dakota. A meeting has been held in Sioux Falls and about 90 per cent of the managers have expressed themselves as favorable to the

vn, endeavoring to push the corn limits northward.

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reasonably provide for the protection of State Forest Reserved located entirely within those fire districts, nevertheless the state can do much without involving itself in undue or excessive expenditure. Almost the entire State of Maine is protected, and very adequately, upon an expenditure that did not exceed \$10,000 in any of the four years from 1901 to 1905 inclusive, and which amount is found to be adequate there in ordinary years, although not in excessively dry years. A similar system of protection has been found satisfactory and effective over all the northern part of Wisconsin. Under that system satisfactory protection the seen given to as vast regions through which is scattered nearly 300,000 acres of state land, to say mothing of the privately owned land which is benefited. Measures of fire protection similar to those in these States and in Minnesota, through local fire wardens appointed by the

anchorage in the neighborhood of some mill which furnishes a market for everything in the shape of timber or wood products that has acquired a merchantable value. Here he locates in a crude shanty, built to be abandoned, and from it if he reaches out in every direction to skin off everything which grows which is convertible into money, whether it be found upon land owned by the state or by individuals who are not watchful of their interests. It is this man who is surely divesting nature of all power and capacity to reclothe and rehability and content of the man who seeks them only to strip them of the waste cut over lands of the

CUT OVER LANDS.

utterly worthless lands; nor to keep out the man whose real design is not settlement, but the opportunity of a minimum price, pits the value of the measure of real design is not settlement, but the coportunity of the interest of the settlement, but the coportunity of the state of the settlement, but the coportunity of the state of the settlement, but the coportunity of the state of the settlement by the state of the general features of a policy for the acquirement by the state of permanent state difficult parts of the acquirement by the state of permanent state difficult parts of the acquirement by the state of permanent state of the common sumber of acres owners. Settlement will be included. Outside of those five districts are vast artection of country will be included. Outside of those five districts are vast artection of country will be included. Outside of those five districts are vast artection of country will be included. Outside of those five districts are vast artection of reacting and utilizing only what is within the limited and comparative when the settler could become entitled to a deed—45 per cent. of settlement which the State owns in these point of getting his deed, and this S5 per cent includes all of the dubles of the solution of the fairness of the country of the capacity to reforest naturally and the read of the proposed fire districts. It is the state to abandon at the read of the protein of a success in homemaking. It is the state to abandon at the read of the protein of success, but those who have made an unqualified and one.

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son may see them in hosts who travel much through some of those northern counties. I am going to present you just one bit of teatimony, an extract from a letter written by Mr. Mershon, of Saginaw. Last fall he went upon a hunting trip in Clare county. He was not looking for abandoned homes, nor in the pursuit of official business. He was looking for fuu; and the sigts he saw and described in this letter were forced on his attention by their very number:

and very adequately, upon a specific protection and for any and the protection similar to those in these protection similar to those in these protection similar to those in the part of very commission wherear, will farmish tolerably efficient protection from fire protection at all times, but we can towast eras, without antie can be always and to a protection at all times, but we can towast eras, without antie experimental to despite and will meet with the sace effort to do what she is sable to do herself in the way of reforestation. If we put the door at the result of the course of a state was an experiment of the protection at all times, but we can at the larger chances where nature is doing the whole work for artificial reforestation for more protection. It must be remembered that the same regions is found in still greater to easily a state lands a state land to a state is made and the state is made of the protection at all times, but we can take larger chances where nature is doing the whole work for nothing. A size larger chances where nature is doing the whole work for nothings of the cut over lands as have good reason young growth, provided only factors and the same regions is found in still greater to the cut over lands as have good treas or young growth, provided only factors, and the cut of the cut over lands as have good treas or young growth, provided only factors, and the cut of the cut over lands as have good treas or young growth, provided only factors, and the cut of the cut over lands as have good treas or young growth, provided only the cut of the cut over lands as have good treas or young growth, provided only the cut of the cut over lands as a larger chances where nature is doing the whole work for nothing. A state larger chances where nature is doing the whole work for nothing. A state larger chances where nature is doing the whole work for nothing. A state larger chances where nature is doing the whole work for nothing. A state larger chances where nature is the parts of the cut over large

their interests. It is this man who is serve, but it can not afford either to a complete the waste cut over lands of the morth. His destructive work supplements the devastion of fire and both work together to a common endesolation. Unless these two foes be kept within limits nature can do nothing, and the state, in my judgement, had better abandon the whole problem. It is doubtful whether fire or the unwise land policy of promiscuous selling of these lands is the greater foe to the true interest of the state. The evil done by each is facilitated and made the more complete by the destructive work of the other.

Under the present land policy there is another great evil. Through the homestead law, as well as shrough the law which offers these lands for safe for a mere soug, many people three selections and price. Such a measure would the man who the man with server, but it can not to the man with server, but it can not all them to the man with seet trees and forest cover. This could be used to the plan and policy should in clude the payment by the State of a fixed sum per acre each year in lieu of taxes upon its State Forest Reserves. In all for which should be used for the expenses of fire protection for the work of the other.

No measure so well calculated to reach these ends has been suggested and made the more complete by the destructive work of the other.

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Under the present land policy there is another great evil. Through the homeste lowesteed law, as well as through law, but small enough to enable the law which offers these lands for sale for a mere song, many people have been enticed into attempting to make heines on land which is unfit for that purpose. These people are poor and not above the average probably in knowledge of, and skill in, agriculture, and so lack both the means and the ability to create home and family supporting farms out of poor and unitied lands. Capital and skill can often do this, of course, but these people are without either. The result is failure—a disaster to the man who makes the attempt and anythere in Michigan land that is the state in the party sum for which the state for the state of the state of the state shall be such as also have who have sold at from St to disaste taxes charged against these should be state for the state in the proceeds of land sales in proportion to the amount of local to state taxes charged against these speculators in Chicago. Detroit and elsewhere who have sold at from St to state taxes charged against these should have been made and the state for create home and family supporting farms out of the prove what we all know, that anythere in Michigan land that is really good for agriculture is worth the state party sum for which the states are to the man who makes the attempt and anythere in Michigan land and to the state party sum for which the state of the state has been whole-saling its fallure—a disaster to the large and sales have of the large and sales have of the state at large. It speak here of the prevent the result is fallure—a disaster to the fall merchantable times the patry and against profitch to the neighborhood in which the settles or to the fall merchantable times the patry and against the state of the prevent and the state in the proceeds of land sales the world the state of the state and the state in the fall know, that anythere in Michigan land to the state pays in lieu of taxes to the two thing fine party and the state in the mate of the transport of the prevent of

made available as have upon them some growth which, if protected and preserved, may eventually produce a new forest growth. It may be that this forest, as I have said, will not be of the most caluable class of merchan-table timber, but it will have a very substantial value in the course of a

lands that would be taken for State Forest Reserves. Under the present law they have a joint interest with the state in the proceeds of land sales



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ling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan.
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day and place aforesaid from 8 o'clock in the forenoon until 5 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose aforesaid.

The enrollment of the qualified volcers of the various political parties for the primaries will take place on the same day and hour, at the town in the forenoon, at said probate office, beared is breath a property appointed for hears.

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#### Election Notice.

To the electors of the township of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan.

Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that the next ensuing election for said township will be held at the town hall within said village on Monday, April 6, 1908, at which election the following officers will be chosen view.

will be chosen, viz:
Oue Supervisor.
One Township Clerk.
One Township Treasurer.

One Township Treasurer.
One School Inspector (full term.)
One Highway Commissioner.
One Justice of the Peace (full term)
One member of Board of Review.
Four Constables.
The polls of said election will be opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon

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the Probate 'Office in the Village of Grayling in said county, on the sixteenth day of March A. D. 1908.

Present: Wellington Batterson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ida Louise Woodworth, a minor. Jean-nette Woodworth, Guardian of said minor having filed in said court her petition, praying for license to sell at private sale, the interest of said estate private sale, the interest of said estate

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D. 1908.

H. P. OLSON,
Township Clerk.

Township Clerk.

It is Further Ordered. That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the CRAWFORD AVALANCHE a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

WELLINGTON BATTERSON,

Judge of Probate.

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